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**EYES ON WHITE HOUSE**—On left, reading down, are Republicans' favourites for the U.S. Presidency in 1940: Senator Vandenberg of Michigan, New York's District Attorney Dewey and Senator Taft of Ohio. On the right are President Roosevelt, Vice-President Garner and Secretary of State Hull, the Democratic favourites. In the latest straw vote, Roosevelt leads by a great majority, while the Democrats are far ahead of the Republicans in votes cast.

## TUNGTING LAKE SCENE OF MAJOR BATTLE IN RENEWED OFFENSIVE

CHUNGKING, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—According to a Chinese report reaching here, a major battle is at present raging on the shores of Tungting Lake, where Japanese land, air and naval forces yesterday launched a combined offensive against Chinese lines in Northern Hunan. The Japanese are attempting to drive south to Changsha. As the Japanese land force launched an attack on Chinese positions on the north bank of the Sinsiang River, in the vicinity of the Canton-Hankow Railway, to the south of Yochow, other Japanese columns, escorted by warships and aircraft, attempted to go round the Chinese left flank via Tungting Lake.

One body of Japanese troops is reported to have landed on the south bank of the Sinsiang River to threaten the Chinese defenders there, while another body is claimed to have been landed in Ying-tien, to the north of Siansing, half way between the Chinese lines and Changsha.

Throughout the day, 13 Japanese aeroplanes are said to have bombed Chinese positions in the vicinity of the Sinsiang River at Ying-tien and Siansing. At the same time, a large number of Japanese aircraft have extensively bombed cities in north-western Hunan.

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## Nazi Plotters In Rumania Executed

BUCHAREST, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Executions of members of the Iron Guard, pro-Nazi organization, in connection with the assassination of M. Calinescu, Prime Minister of Rumania, is now put at 350. Forty-four were shot yesterday in one concentration camp, and 32 others in another camp.

The men had been in the camps since last autumn, when they were arrested in the course of the nationwide round-up of pro-Nazi leaders by M. Calinescu.

## GUNS POUND BELEAGUERED WARSAW: DEAD NUMBER THOUSAND A DAY

### NO PEACE WITH NAZI REGIME IS LONDON REPLY TO IL DUCE

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Signor Mussolini's speech, in which he reaffirmed Italy's neutrality and suggested that the war should end with the defeat of Poland, is being studied with interest in London. It is stated here that, even if fighting on the Eastern Front ceases, there can be no peace with the present forsworn German Government.

### Siegfried Line Conditions Very Bad

PARIS, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—German prisoners captured by the French speak freely about the bad conditions in the Siegfried Line, stating that the health of the defenders was impaired by the recent cold damp weather.

Conditions in the small block-houses holding the Siegfried Line defenders are apparently very hard. There is no adequate provision for ventilation once the heavily armoured doors are closed.

In some cases, there is only enough room to fire, and when a prolonged attack prevents the men from going outside they have to sleep practically standing up.

At the same time the damp from outside penetrates into the line easily and drips down the walls.

Supplies of food have to be brought from outside, probably under fire. So during a prolonged attack with heavy artillery fire on communications, the men will be penned in damp, cold blockhouses without food, sleep or sufficient air.

ROME, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Signor Mussolini reaffirmed Italy's attitude in the war, in a speech to Fascist leaders from Bologna yesterday.

Il Duce said Italy's stand was fixed on September 1 in the statement of the Cabinet, and there was no reason to change it.

Italy's stand, he said, met the national interests, and the desire of all peoples, including the German, to localise the conflict.

He recalled Hitler's telegram in which the latter stated he did not want Italian military help.

Il Duce claimed that the moment had arrived to call a halt to hostilities. The Polish dispute, he said, was ended, but Europe had not yet entered the war.

A clash may yet be avoided by the realisation of the desire to maintain, or, worse still, to reconstruct the position, which history and the natural dynamism of the peoples have condemned as a vain illusion, said Signor Mussolini.

When it was found necessary to change the Italian decision regarding taking no initiative in military operations, Il Duce said he would appear on the radio.

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## Daily Press And Reuters

### COMMENT THAT IS BESIDE THE POINT

SHANGHAI, Sept. 23 (Reuter)—Commenting on the article referring to the Sino-Japanese peace rumours carried by a section of Hongkong's foreign press ("Hongkong Daily Press") and the remarks thereon concerning the reporting of these rumours by Reuters, the Agency's Shanghai office has issued the following statement:

"The only comment that Reuters have to make in this connection is to point out that rumours were prevalent in Shanghai that did affect the Shanghai exchange market and that, therefore, both cause and effect were items of news worthy of being reported."

The only comment the "Hongkong Daily Press" has to make in connection with the above is that it is beside the point. We have no quarrel with Reuters when they record rumours, however absurd, that have gained attention elsewhere.

What we did object to was that, in the cases mentioned, the rumours were described as coming from "usually reliable sources"—and there was no indication at all that Reuters had any doubt of their reliability as news. The despatches therefore lent weight to these canards.

Reuters have denied that their Shanghai office acted unwisely in this matter. We retain our previous opinion, and our readers can decide for themselves. The official denial from Chungking, which we print elsewhere on the front page, may help them to make up their minds.

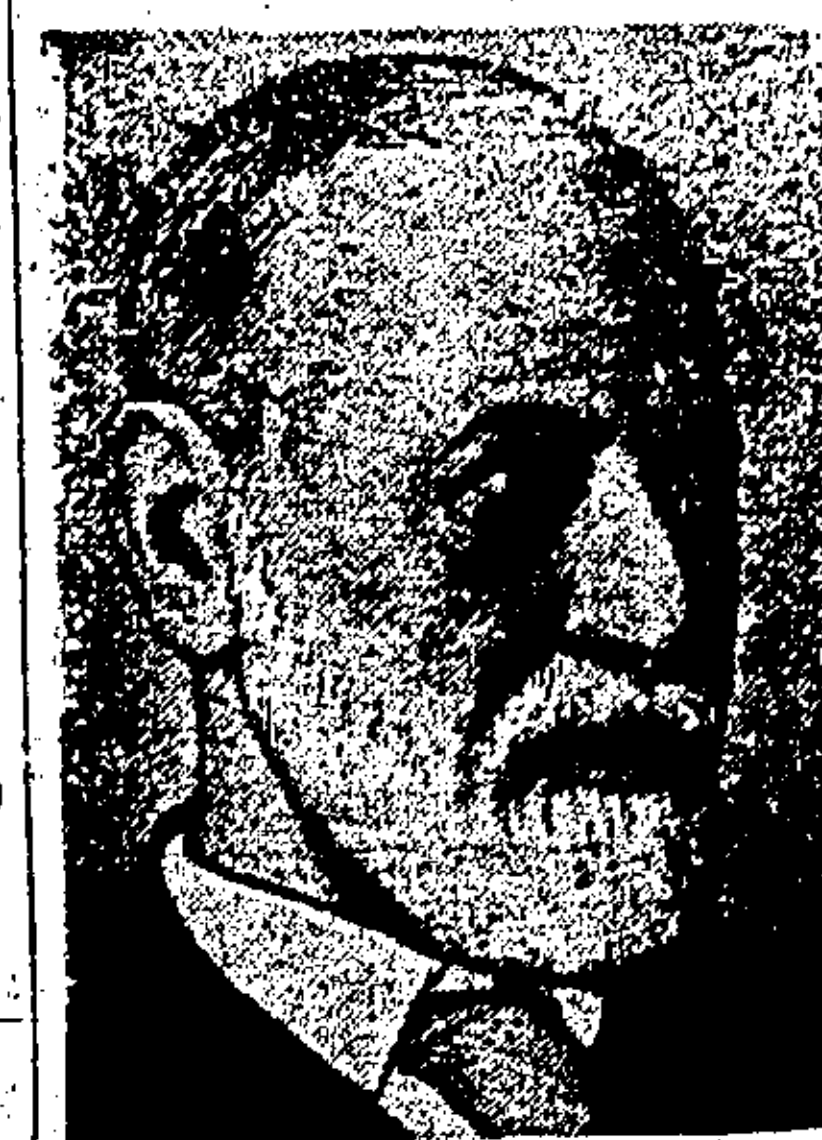
## British Forces On Western Front Prepare For Action As German Troops Begin Operations

LONDON, September 24 (Reuter)—A broadcast from beleaguered Warsaw says that the last 24 hours were the most dreadful of all the 20 days of the siege. An artillery barrage started yesterday afternoon is still proceeding.

## Exiled German Scientist Passes

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—The death occurred here to-day, at the age of 83, of Professor Sigmund Freud, discoverer of psychoanalysis and one of its greatest exponents.

He was one of the distinguished men the Nazis had no use for because he was a Jew. He fled last year from Austria to England, where he continued his researches.



SIGMUND FREUD

Born at Freiberg, Moravia, on May 8, 1856, Freud was educated in Vienna. After studying in Paris and elsewhere he was appointed Professor of Therapeutics or neurotic diseases at Vienna.

He made the discovery that many neurotic affections, such as hysteria, were due to a conflict between the conscious and the subconscious parts of the mind.

His chief works, which have been translated into English, are "Interpretation of Dreams," "Psychopathology of Everyday Life" and "Totem and Taboo."

It is estimated that more than 100 guns are concentrating fire on the capital. Despite the bombardment, many people ventured out to church this morning and a number were killed and wounded.

THERE HAVE BEEN A THOUSAND CASUALTIES IN THE LAST 24 HOURS BUT "OUR SPIRIT REMAINS UNBROKEN."

The Warsaw Radio also states that heavy shelling in the centre of the city destroyed three hospitals filled with wounded. The German attack on the right bank of the Vistula near the city has been repulsed and there is fierce fighting in Modlin.

Evidence of the strength of Polish resistance is given in a German communique which admits that Nazi forces have been forced to retreat from the suburbs of Warsaw after reconnaissance.

It is stated that the Commander of the German forces has been wounded.

## Moslems Will Help Britain And France

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Emir Abdullah of Trans-Jordan, in a public speech yesterday, affirmed the firm support of his country for the Democracies and ended with a prayer for victory for the Allies.

He said: "Trans-Jordan stands with the Democracies in a struggle against aggression. Freedom must be supported, and we stand by the side of Britain and France to the end."

"Moslems all over the world must stand with the Democracies who began to undo the fetters of the East."

The Emir appealed to all Arabs to bury their feelings of malice and to follow in the footsteps of the right people. The speech was loudly applauded.

Neutrals who have been evacuated from Warsaw give graphic accounts of conditions in the Polish capital, states a Copenhagen message.

The dead, they say, are being buried in the public squares, while the population is suffering from typhoid and there is a shortage of food.

Important Decisions

KAUNAS, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Important decisions are expected to be announced by the German Government about the middle of the week, according to a Berlin despatch, after which Hitler will probably go to the Western Front.

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## Chinese Dies After Mean Assault

A particularly mean and despicable assault committed by a Chinese on another in Wanchai on Friday resulted in the death of the victim in Queen Mary Hospital yesterday.

According to reliable information, Yau Kam-hoi, of No. 119 Lockhart Road, ground floor, was met on Friday evening at the corner of Jaffe and Luard Roads by a man to whom he owed 50 cents. The man demanded the return of the money.

Unable to pay, Yau was taken hold of by the ankles, lifted up perpendicularly with his head down and dashed upon the ground several times. The man then left his victim lying unconscious on the road.

Discovered early next morning by his brother, Yau was placed on a long rattan couch and lay by the roadside until he was removed to hospital, where he died at 11.10 a.m. yesterday. He was suffering from a fractured spine.

Police last night arrested a man named Yu Wai-pin, alias Tai Kan Lo (Strong Man), who is being held for questioning in connection with the crime.

## BRITISH SEAMEN'S SPIRIT UNDAUNTED BY GERMAN SUBMARINE WARFARE

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—The fine spirit of the British seamen in the face of Nazi submarine warfare is described in a letter from the Chaplain of the Seamen's Institute.

The padre writes: "So far as deterring men from going to sea, U-boat activities have had the opposite effect. After having been torpedoed once, the men's one desire is to get another ship. Their spirit is the same as in 1914."

### HOPE GIVEN UP FOR ROYAL SCEPTRE

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter)—Germany's use of submarines in flagrant contravention of her treaty obligations and undertakings has resulted in further loss of British merchant seamen.

The Ministry of Information states that it is feared that all hope must now be abandoned for the officers and crew of the steamer, "Royal Sceptre," which on

Sept. 7 wirelessly that she was being machine-gunned by a U-boat.

The crew had abandoned the ship, which was sinking and it had been hoped that the crew might be picked up by fishing boats, but this hope must now be given up.

FINNISH STEAMER SUNK  
OSLO, Sept. 23 (Reuter)—A Finnish steamer of 3,500 tons was sunk.

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# In the World of Sports

## GOOD DIVIDENDS AND ENCOURAGING CASH SWEEP RETURNS AT THE VALLEY

### LADY NORTHCOTE'S FINE SUCCESS ON H.K. TURF: DEVONIAN'S FINE WIN

#### Hongkong Jockey Club's 7th. Extra Race Meeting

Good dividends and encouraging cash sweep returns were the order of the day when, after a period of three months, the Hongkong Jockey Club resumed racing at the Valley on Saturday.

It was the Seventh Extra Race Meeting of the current season. The weather was good, the track in excellent condition, and a large crowd turned up to see some splendid racing under perfect conditions.

A feature of the day's events was Lady Northcote. First success on the Hongkong turf, when her Devonian ably ridden by Mr. Don Black, won the Vacluse Handicap in very good time, being only 2/5 sec. outside Strathroy's track record.

Three new jockeys made their first appearances at the Valley. They were Messrs M. F. L. Haymes, H. M. Botelho and R. Sleep. Mr. Haymes rode Zero to take second place in the Novices Handicap.

Mr. A. W. Raymond, with two wins, a second and a third, led the jockey's list. Mr. D. Black had two wins and a second, while Mr. H. J. A. Hearne had two wins and a third.

#### RACE ONE

##### SUB-GRIFFINS AUTUMN PLATE

From an even start, King Kong assumed the lead while passing the Grand Stand first time round, and drew away to win comfortably by many lengths without being fully extended. This time was second all the way round, while Some Hope followed without making any impression.

Sub-Griffins Autumn Plate (11 Miles)

Mr. Cocoa's King Kong, 161 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 1  
Mr. Li Po-chun's This Time, 153 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 2  
Mr. Lucky's Some Hope, 153 lbs. (Mr. C. Encarnacao) 3

Won by many lengths, four lengths between second and third. Time: 2:39.3.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$5.50.  
Places: \$5.10, \$5.10.  
Also ran:—King's Envoy, 147 lbs. (Encarnacao).

Betting	Win.	Place.
King Kong	579	300
This Time	01	19
Some Hope	81	30

#### RACE TWO

##### TWEED ISLAND BAY H'CAP

Expansion Time took the lead from a moderate start, but only for a second, as Eve of Heaven suddenly shot out of the bunch like a bullet and assuming the lead, drew away to win easily, never at any time being seriously challenged. Hectic View, prominent in the early stages appeared to lose wind from the Rock, and was beaten by her stablemate Humdrum Eve in the home run after a close fight. Jennifer, coming up strongly in the straight, snatched second place from Expansion Time who dropped back badly in the last furlong and was only able to finish fifth. In a neck and neck tussle Humdrum Eve beat Hectic View for third place.

Tweed Island Bay Handicap—1st Section—"B" Class (From the 11 Mile Post)

Mr. Eve's Eve of Heaven, 144 lbs. (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 1  
Mr. Quartermaster's Jennifer, 152 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 2  
Mr. Lan's Humdrum Eve, 150 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 3

Won by six lengths, three lengths between second and third. Time: 1:04.1.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$33.70.  
Places: \$16.20, \$14.90, \$89.90.  
Also ran:—Blue Express, 168 lbs. (C. Encarnacao); Expansion Time, 153 (B. L. Tao); Hectic View, 152 (H. C. Pih); Lillib, 161 (A. W. Raymond); Moonlight View, 163 (F. F. Li); New Star, 148 (S. W. Pan); Red Feather, 154 (V. V. Needa); Rob Roy, 168 (W. G. Poy).

Betting	Win.	Place.
King Kong	579	300
This Time	01	19
Some Hope	81	30

#### RACE THREE

##### VAULOUSE HANDICAP

The start was delayed for ten minutes before the field was sent away in line. Devonian took an early lead and maintained it to the finish. Criffel was second all the way to the home stretch but failed in the last furlong to keep off Tornado Star, who getting through from a bunch, came up strongly to take second place. Criffel finishing a poor third. The rest of the field was in a bunch most of the way, but broke away into line in the home run, finishing one behind the other.

Vaulouse Handicap—"B" Class (1 Mile)

Lady Northcote's Devonian, 137 lbs. (Mr. D. Black) 1  
Mr. C. W. K.'s Tornado Star, 140 lbs. (Mr. S. W. Pan) 2  
Mr. John Peel's Criffel, 155 lbs. (Mr. V. V. Needa) 3

Won by four lengths, two lengths between second and third. Time: 1:44.4.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$72.40.  
Places: \$15.90, \$30.70, \$8.20.  
Also ran:—A Grand Time, 140 lbs. (S. L. Yuen); Aztec 135 (A. W. Raymond); Chiltern, 153 (C. Encarnacao); Happy Landings, 135 (W. H. S. Davis); Murrumbidgee, 143 (H. J. A. Hearne); National Victory 130 (K. I. Ip); Snowy River, 149 (H. M. Botelho); Sydney Lad, 140 (W. G. Poy); Triumphant Day 165 (B. L. Tao); Vixen Tor, 160 (B. A. Proulx); Winfred, 152 (H. C. Pih).

Betting	Win.	Place.
King Kong	579	300
This Time	01	19
Some Hope	81	30

#### RACE FOUR

##### ISLAND BAY HANDICAP

A poor start saw Musketeer first in the lead closely followed by Galveston Bay. These two led the way up to the Rock where Musketeer seemed to weaken. The rest of the field began to close in on the leaders and from the home bend the race developed into a close and exciting affair. Rose Evelyn, who had been lying handy, came up strongly and went on to win a splendid race. Galveston Bay straining every sinew to keep Pinfarthings who came up with a big burst of

### DAILY PRESS VALLEY TIPS SUCCESSFUL

Four winners and nine places were correctly picked by "Last Quarter" in his selections in the Hongkong Daily Press for Saturday's races.

The winners were King Kong, Rose Evelyn, Avon and Sunlight View.

In addition, Strathcarrick and Blue Diamond, picked for places, romped home to win the Sixth and Ninth Races.

speed, from second place. Musketeer was a bad fourth.

Island Bay Handicap—1st Section—"C" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Evelyn, 152 lbs. (Mr. C. Encarnacao) 1  
Mr. L. Dunbar's Galveston Bay, 150 lbs. (Mr. D. Black) 2  
Mr. J. M. Smith's Pinfarthings, 188 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 3

Won by 2 lengths, half length between second and third. Time: 2:00.1.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$21.40.  
Places: \$7, \$6.80, \$6.30.  
Also ran:—Advancing Time, 156 lbs. (Ho Hong-ping); Boolat Bay, 168 (S. N. Pan); Dawn Star, 168 (S. W. Pan); Flybyday (late Five Virtues), 161 (S. L. Yuen); Lovely Star, 139 (C. Treverton); Musketeer, 152 (Y. T. Fung); Rose-Queen, 151 (W. G. Poy); Scenic View, 140 (H. C. Pih); Soldier of Britain, 168 (F. F. Li).

Betting

Rose Evelyn 702 895  
Galveston Bay 852 716  
Pinfarthings 943 949  
Advancing Time 70 82  
Boolat Bay 99 123  
Dawn Star 40 48  
Flybyday 5 12  
Lovely Star 48 70  
Musketeer 162 259  
Rose-Queen 220 272  
Scenic View 192 229  
Soldier of Britain 68 63

RACE FIVE

##### TWEED ISLAND BAY H'CAP

###### (SECOND SECTION)

Although Lancashire Lass started favourite in this event, the mare made no impression and proved a great disappointment to her followers, after being prominent only in the very early stages of the race. Avon and Oak Bay, who were nicely placed up to the bend and going well, were ably brought out by their riders to take first and second places respectively. Gladiator, prominent early, failed to stay the course and was only able to finish third.

Tweed Island Bay Handicap—2nd Section—"B" Class (From the 11 Mile Post)

Mr. V. M. Grayburn's Avon, 163 lbs. (Mr. D. Black) 1  
Mrs. Stanton's Oak Bay, 145 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 2  
Mrs. A. E. Grissett's Gladiator, 142 lbs. (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 3

Won by a length, half length between second and third. Time: 1:06.2.

Parl Mutuel:—  
Winner: \$16.40.  
Places: \$8.40, \$14.50, \$19.  
Also ran:—Jobe, 145 lbs. (H. M. Botelho); Just In Time, 156 (V. V. Needa); Lancashire Lass, 160 (A. W. Raymond); Peaceful View, 161 (H. C. Pih); Potentate, 165 (C. Encarnacao); Rose Jane, 154 (W. G. Poy); Tampa Bay, 140 (S. L. Yuen).

Betting

Avon 936 736  
Oak Bay 941 264  
Gladiator 234 179  
Jobe 30 44  
Just In Time 212 287  
Lancashire Lass 819 691  
Peaceful View 593 589  
Potentate 156 168  
Rose Jane 33 45  
Tampa Bay 20 35

RACE SIX

##### GOSFORD HANDICAP

Helix was left behind when the field went off to an otherwise good start. A Great Time assuming early command while the rest of the field were closely bunched.

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### Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY  
MEETINGS.—Annual of Hongkong Cricket League, 8.15 p.m.

TO-MORROW  
BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

BRIDGE.—Y.M.C.A. Bridge 10, a.m. MEETINGS.—Annual of Kowloon Chess Club, at Peninsula Hotel, 6 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. Badminton Meeting, 10.30 a.m.

SWIMMING.—Y.M.C.A. Mixed Swimming, 8 p.m.

TENNIS.—Kowloon Cricket Club's Annual Tennis Tournament: Court No. 1—E. C. Fincher (—40) v. S. A. Gray (—30.3) (Handicap "A"); Court No. 2—F. Grose (—15.3) v. G. M. Gillard (scr.) (Handicap "A"); Court No. 3—R. E. Lee (—3.6) v. W. L. Rapley (—15) (Handicap "B"); Court No. 4—W. Hung and Mrs. Eymard (—30) v. R. T. Broadbridge and Miss Har-ker (—15.3); Court No. 5—F. Clarke and Mrs. Knight (—3.6) v. A. C. Perry and Mrs. Sweeney (—15); Court No. 6—R. Blyth and D. W. Joyce (—3.6) v. N. A. E. Mackay and T. A. Madai (—3.6).

OTHER SPORTS  
NEWS APPEARS  
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## Haiphong-Hanoi Soccer Team Held To Draw In Last Two Games

The Haiphong-Hanoi football team yesterday completed a series of three football matches against Colony teams by playing a team drawn from non-Chinese football clubs in Hongkong to a 3-all draw. The visitors, from Indo-China, therefore, leave a record locally of no victories and no defeats, having in their earlier two matches drawn 4-all with Eastern and 2-all with a Combined Chinese team.

The Colony side entered the field with the advantage of weight, which the speed of the Haiphong team counteracted to some extent.

The visitors proved also to be strong kickers, and on this account managed to keep the ball for a good part of the game out of their territory.

Led by E. Fowler, who scored all three goals for the Colony side, the local forward line was not easily held when they gained possession of the ball, and the good work of Sammy Tsang between the sticks served Haiphong well.

Leonard, at inside-right, played a sound game, and Flanders at right wing and Strange gave good enough support. A. V. Gosano, however, was sorely missed. The full-backs cleared well though at times erratically.

The visitors fielded also a good forward line that failed more often than it succeeded in combining together. Thong, at centre-forward, and Hol, to his left, were outstanding, and received some support also from Huan at right-half.

The teams:  
Haiphong: Sammy Tsang; Can, Binh; Huan, Thom, Thai; Loc, Tac, Thong, Hol and Vien.

Rest of the Colony: Duncan, Blackburn, Bone; Bell, Bright, Honnibal; Gardner, Leonard, F. Fowler, Strange and Flanders.

SATURDAY'S GAME  
The Haiphong-Hanoi Soccer team was held to a 2-all draw by a Combined Chinese team on the Hongkong Club ground on Saturday. The visitors had the better of the game, and their failure to win may be attributed to the in-decision of the forwards in front of goal.

The Chinese side, consisting mainly of Eastern Athletic Association players, failed to combine well enough and were forced into a defensive game throughout part of the first half and most of the second half.

Tam Kwan-kon, in goal, brought off several fine saves, and it was due to his display between the posts and the weakness of the Haiphong players in front of goal that enabled the Combined Chinese to just stave off defeat.

The teams:  
Chinese: Tam Kwan-kon; Chung Fai-lum, Chung Ying-kuen; Lau Ch'-chan, Yeung Tse-tsung, Hau King-seng; Wong Man-kwai, Cheung Kam-hoi, Lee Tak-kee, Cheuk Shek-kam and Hau Ching-to.

Haiphong: Tsang, Richardct, Binh; Huan, Thom, Thai; Khoo, Tack, Hol, Thong and Vien.

## LO TAK KUEN CUP LEAGUE

The Lo Tak Kuen Cup League made further progress yesterday at the Southern Playground, Wanchai, when four matches were decided. Six matches were originally down for decision but two teams did not put in an appearance and therefore forfeited the point.

Results follow:  
Wah Kiu v. Hak Keun  
Luen Ying 4 v. Kwan Sing 2  
Yuet Sing 4 v. Ling Kong 0  
Kin Nai 1 v. Kwo Choi 0  
Na Fei v. Put Ming  
Chun Wan 1 v. Ki Kung 0

\* Takes/points owing to non-appearance of opponents.

## ADVERTISEMENT

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 7th, and Tuesday 10th October, 1939, (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 28th Sept., 1939.

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## URBAN COUNCIL MEETING

### Increased Freight Charges

At to-morrow meeting of the Urban Council to be held at 4.15 p.m., Mr. C. Champkin, pursuant to notice, will ask:—

"Has it been brought to the notice of the Chairman that the Trans-Pacific Freight Bureau of Hongkong, has increased freight charges on trans-Pacific cargo by fifty per cent."

"If so, will he make enquiries as to what justification exists for this imposition, in view of the fact that it is principally freight rates that determine the price of imported foodstuffs."

Correspondence relative to the appointment of the Deputy Director of Health Services to serve on the Select Committees for (1) Animals and Birds, (2) Basements, (3) Cattle, Swine, Sheep or Goats, (4) Dairies and Milk Shops, (5) Eating Houses and Restaurants, (6) Food Factories, (7) Food Shops, (8) Markets, (9) Prevention and Mitigation of Epidemic, Endemic, Contagious or Infectious Disease and Littering, and (10) Wells and Pools in place of the Hon. Director of Medical Services.

Correspondence relative to the postponement of the next Urban Council Meeting.

**LICENCES**

Application for an eating house licence for No. 58, Electric Road, ground floor.

Application for a milk shop licence for the premises on Inland Lot No. 5379, King's Road.

Application for a milk shop licence for the basement at No. 18, Village Road.

Application for a food factory licence for No. 45, Stanley Street ground floor.

**REGULAR RETURNS**

(a) Report from the Hon. Director of Medical Services on the water supply of the Colony for the month of August, 1939.

(b) Rat Return for the weeks ending September 2 and 9, 1939.

(c) Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports from the Hon. Director of Medical Services for the weeks ending September 2 and 9, 1939.

(d) Health Return from the League of Nations, Eastern Bureau, for the weeks ending August 19 and 26, 1939.

(e) Mortality Return for Hongkong for the weeks ending August 19 and 26, and September 2, 1939.

(f) Summary of licences, permits and exemptions granted, refused and cancelled by the Council during the month of August 1939.

**CITY DEFENCE CORPS**

As the inauguration of the City Defence Corps is taking place this week, sub-committees of different districts have been instructed to forward the names and particulars of all volunteers to the Central Organising Committee not later than Thursday.

The hours assigned to the members of the Corps will not exceed three hours at a stretch, and they will be responsible for the loss of equipment provided by the Government and the Central Committee.

**CURRENT FILMS**

**KING'S:**—Captain Fury (United Artists). A fast-moving tale, packed with incident, of the early Australian settlers. Brian Aherne, Victor McLaglen and June Lang.

**QUEEN'S:**—Dramatic School (M.G.M.). Luise Rainer as a poor girl who aspires to be a great dramatic actress, gives a great performance. With Paulette Goddard, Lana Turner, Alan Marshall.

**ORIENTAL:**—Confessions of a Nazi Spy (Warner Bros.). Edward G. Robinson as a G-Man who succeeds in tracking down Nazi agents. One of the most sensational pictures of the year. With Francis Lederer and Paul Lukas.

**CATHAY:**—Gunga Din (Paramount). Kipling's water-carrier comes to life on the screen. With Cary Grant, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Victor McLaglen as the British soldiers.

**ALHAMBRA:**—Three Smart Girls Grow Up (Universal). Deanna Durbin sings all the favourites in a sequel to her first success. "Definite entertainment."

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## Radio Programmes

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### A BBC RECORDING OF "HAIL VARIETY"

"Madam Butterfly" Act I

12.15 p.m. A Short Service of Intercession.

12.30 John McCormack (Tenor) in an Irish Programme.

Jeanie With The Light Brown Hair (Foster) with John McCormack (Tenor) with Piano. Irish Rhapsody (Herbert)—New Light Symphony Orchestra.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.05 Variety with John Tilley. Western Brothers and Bene Houston. Accordion Orch.—Symphonic Poem—Spring—Alan Helm and His Accordion Orchestra cond. by G. S. Mathis.

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1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Grieg—Concerto in A Minor, Op. 16.

Wilhelm Backhaus (Piano) and The New Symphony Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.

2.15 Close down.

6.00 "For the Children."

Childhood Memories (arr. Somers)—London Palladium Orchestra. The Hums of Pooch (A.A. Milne—Fraser-Simson); (a) they all went off to discover the Pole, (b) Three cheers for Pooch, (c) The more it snows, (d) The butterflies are flying—George Baker (Baritone) with Piano The Doll Dance (Brown)—Nat Shilkret and His Orchestra. Studio—Story by Aunt Susan. The General's Fast Asleep (Kennedy)—Ralph Vaughan Williams Humorous Monologue—The Mavor (Tilley)—John Tilley.

6.30 Closing local Stock Quotations.

6.30 Chorus.

After The Ball (Harris); Two Little Girls in Blue (Graham); Daisy Bell (Macree)—The Old-Time Singers. Let's All Sing Like The Birds Sing (Macree and Others). She Was One Of The Early Birds (Conner). In The Shade Of The Old Apple Tree (Williams-Van Alstyne) The Chestnut Tree (Kennedy and Others)—The Audience of The Paramount Theatre, London. Led by Al Bellingham at the Organ.

6.45 London Relay—News Supplement.

6.55 B.B.C. Recording—"Hail Variety" Written and devised by Gale Pedrick. Production by Roy Speer.

7.25 Cinema Organ Selections.

By The Blue Hawaiian Waters—Medley (Ketchum) The Vision Of Fuji-San—Medley (Ketchum)—Reginald Poet at the Organ of the Regal Cinema, London. Torch Song Parade.

Intro: I've got to sing a Torch Song; Swing is in the Air; You're here, you're there, you're everywhere; Wake up and live; This year's klases; They can't take that away from me; Mid-Summer; I've got to sing a Torch song;—Sidney Torch in the Union Cinema, Kingston.

7.42 Excerpts from C. B. Cochran's "Anything Goes."

Jack Whiting, Jeanne Aubert. The Four Admirals, Edward Howard. Four Harmonists and Chorus with the Palace Theatre Orchestra conducted by Francis Collinson.

7.51 Forestry—Southern Holiday (A Fantasy of Negro Moods).

The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra directed by Henry Hall with Reginald Forsythe at the Piano.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 Puccini's "Madam Butterfly" Act III.

Characters and Soloists in order of appearance: M. Sheridan (Soprano)—Cho-Cho-San; I. Meridian (Soprano)—Sunk; a servant; I. Cecil (Soprano)—B. F. Pinkerton, Lieutenant, U.S.N. V. Weinberg (Baritone)—Sharpless, U.S. Consul, Lomi (Mezzo-Soprano)—Kate Pinkerton, with Members of La Scala Orchestra and Chorus, Milan.

8.30 Concert Waltzes.

Dancing Waltz—"The Gipsy Baron" J. Strauss—Berlin State Opera Orchestra cond. by Dr. Leo Blech. Acceleration—Waltz (John Strauss—arr. Hohn). Budapest Waltz (Lanner—arr. Hohn)—Orchestra Mascotte.

8.45 Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra.

Quickstep—Cathedral In The Pines. Fox-Trot—My Secret Love Affair (film "Lovely to Look At"). Waltz—Waltz of My Heart (from "The Dancing Years"). Quickstep—Angels Never Leave Heaven. Slow Fox-Trot—A Mist Is Over the Moon (film "The Lady Objects"). Quickstep—Apple Blossom Time. Slow Fox-Trot—Klinda Lonesome (film "St. Louis Blues"). Quickstep—Could Be.

9.10 Studio—Comments on Recent Events.

9.15 London Relay—The News.

9.20 Hawaiian Set (Kawahi) Hawaiian Love Bird (Denmark and Raza). King Nawahi's Hawaiians. My South Sea Sweetheart. "Blue Sparks"—Masters' Hawaiians (Steel Guitar and Banjo). Lion Raza. Lonesome With out My Baby—Masters' Hawaiians.

9.25 6.49 Science Music and Variety.

Fox-Trot—I Never Knew. Don't You Care What Anyone Says—Teddy Foster and His Kines Of Swine Fox-Trot—Gone With The Wind (from the film).—Roy Fox and His Orchestra. Orch.—A Couple Of April Fools (Kennedy and Carr). If You Love Me (Noble).

Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends. Fox-Trot—Twilight In Turkey. The Toy Trumpet—Nat Gonella and His Georgian Vocal Trio—America Calling. Intro: Dear old Southland; Bam bam bammy shore; Charleston back to Charleston; St. Louis Blues; An Orange Grove in California; Broadway melody; Chicago; Beautiful Ohio; Avalon; On the Mississippi—The Carle Cousins with Quaglin's Quartet.

Fox-Trot—I'm Feelin' Like A Million (film "Broadway Melody of 1938"). Caravan—Nat Gonella and His Georgian Vocal Trio—The Circus Queen (Western-Lee). The Legionnaires (Warner-Darnell)—Warner and Darnell.

Fox-Trot—Oh, They're Tough—Mighty Tough in the West, Ten Pretty Girls—Nat Gonella and His Georgian Vocal Trio—Vienese Waltz Medley (Strauss)—Rawies and Landau. Fox-Trot—Moon At Sea. Two Shadows in the Moonlight—Billy Thorburn and His Music. Piano—Accordion—Speak To Me Of Love (Lemoir). Stars Over Devon (Flynn and Egan)—George Scott-Wood assisted by Guitar, Bass and Drums. Fox-Trot—Night Over Shanghai (film "The Singing Marine"). Cause My Baby Loves Me (film "The Singing Marine")—Billy Thorburn and His Music.

11.00 Close down.

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**COMING EVENTS**

**SEPT.**

25—Tides: High 7.05 a.m. and 8.33 p.m. Low 12.44 a.m. and 1.50 p.m. Sunrise: 6.12 a.m. Sunset 6.18 p.m. H.K. Cricket League Annual Meeting.

Crown Land Sale, P.W.D., 3 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Bandaging Class, 10.30 p.m.; Flag Whist 8.30 p.m. Military Police Mess: Whist Drive, 8 p.m.

H.K. Singers Rehearsal: Union Church, 5.30 p.m.

A.R.P. Lectures—In English, Club Lusitano, 5.30 p.m.; In English, Diocesan Girls' Junior School, 6 p.m.; In Chinese, Queen's College, 7.30 p.m.; Yauwai Government School, 7.30 p.m.; Shaukiwan Public Dispensary, 7.30 p.m.

28—Tides: High 7.55 a.m. and 9 p.m. Low 1.30 a.m. and 2.00 p.m. Sunrise 6.18 a.m. Sunset 6.17 p.m. Kowloon Chess Club Annual Mtg., Peninsula Hotel, 6 p.m.

H.K. Rotary Club Mtg., 1 p.m. M.C. Club Badminton Meeting, 10.30 a.m. Mxd. Swimming 6 p.m. Badminton, 8.30 p.m. Urban Council Meeting.

A.R.P. Lectures—Warden's Course, St. John Ambulance Headquarters, 5.30 p.m. (In Chinese, Queen's College, 7.30 p.m.; (In English), Club Lusitano, 5.30 p.m.; (Full course) in Chinese, St. John Ambulance Headquarters, 7.30 p.m.; Volunteer Headquarters, 9-10 a.m.; (In Chinese), Chinese Chamber of Commerce, 7 p.m. (In Chinese) Y.W.C.A. Bonham Road, 7.30 p.m.; (In English), St. Andrew's Church, Hall, 6 p.m.; Yauwai Government School, 7.30 p.m.

27—H.K.B.A. Shoot, 1.45 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Mahjong, 10 a.m.; Lecture by Surg. Capt. Hobbs on "Anatomy," 8 p.m. Whist Drive, 8.30 p.m.

28—Claims against estate of Ernest Ferdinand Oopenheim due. St. Andrew's Club Annual Gen. Mtg., Church Hall.

Unveiling of Plaque at Morrison Hall by H.E. the Governor, 5.30 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Mahjong for Beginners, 10 a.m.

Compulsory Service Tribunal, 4 p.m. 29—Claims against estate of Charles Harold Branwin due. Crown Land Sale (D.O. South) 11 a.m.

Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class 10 a.m. Badminton 8.30 p.m. Mxd. Swimming 6 p.m.

30—Boy Scouts Assn. Annual Swimming Sports, Y.R.C., 2.30 p.m. H.K. Land Investment and Agency Co. Ltd. Interest on 4 per cent Debentures payable.

H.K. University Swimming Sports, Y.M.C.A., 2 p.m.

V.A.C. Annual Swimming Sports, 2.30 p.m.

24—St. Andrew's Church—Wedding: Hutemeln-Ransen.

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# NEWSETTES

Miss Bessie Lillian Wilcox has been appointed a Nursing Sister with effect from Sept. 5, 1939.

Dr. Geoffrey Alton Craig Herklotz, Ph.D., M.Sc., F.L.S., has been appointed to serve on the Nutrition Research Committee.

Mr. J. H. Taggart, O.B.E., has been appointed Deputy Controller of Food with effect from Sept. 18, 1939.

At the Country Hospital, Shanghai, on Sept. 16, a daughter was born to Sigrid, wife of Mr. K. M. E. Ericsson, of Saddle Island.

A daughter was born on Sept. 16, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Nadia, wife of Mr. E. C. Howe.

Surg. Lieut. Dr. John Beveridge Mackie, M.B., Ch. B., D.T.M., has been promoted to the rank of Surg. Lieut. Commander in the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force.

Dr. Anthony Warren Dawson-Grove, B.M., B.Ch., (Oxon), has been appointed an Acting Surgeon Lieutenant in the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force.

Mr. Henry Robert Butters has been appointed to act as Controller of Food, in addition to his own duties, with effect from Sept. 18, 1939, until further notice.

Mr. John Theophilus Bagram, Honorary Consul-General for Thailand in Hongkong, resumed charge of the Thailand Consulate on Sept. 14.

The name of Mr. Juncan Chang has been added to the list of authorised architects published in Government Notification No. 474, of May 8, 1939.

The fifth luncheon meeting of the Chinese American Institute of Cultural Relations will be held on Friday at the Hongkong Hotel. The speaker will be Dr. Y. L. Lee, President of Lingnam University, and his subject will be "My Impression of America." Reservations must be sent to Mr. P. K. Chu before Wednesday.

In view of the large number of students who have recently returned to their homeland from overseas places, educational authorities in Kuning have decided to establish a new high school exclusively for overseas students. Mr. Yao Welson, formerly principal of the China High School in Siam, and six other educators, have been appointed to a preparatory committee.

A son was born to Cecile, wife of Mr. Kristen M. Getz, on Sept. 16, at the Country Hospital in Shanghai.

Mr. Henry Robert Butters has been appointed Chairman of the Urban Council, in addition to his other duties, with effect from Sept. 18, 1939.

On Sept. 14, at the War Memorial Nursing Home, Hongkong, a daughter was born to Winifred, wife of Mr. R. R. de L. Liesching.

Lieut. Cecil James Waddell and Lieut. John Gordon Baxter Dewar, of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, have been promoted to the rank of Captain with effect from Aug. 10, 1939.

His Excellency the Governor will unveil a plaque to the memory of the late Rev. T. W. Pearce, O.B.E., LL.D., at Morrison Hall on Thursday at 5.30 p.m. He will be accompanied by Lady Northcote.

Five thousand people attended a mass meeting at the Public Square in Bling, Chinghai, to denounce Wang Ching-wei yesterday morning. A winter-clothing campaign was also started.

Dr. C. T. Wang, former Chinese Ambassador to the United States, and Mr. Tu Yueh-sheng, prominent Chinese from Shanghai, and member of the Central Relief Commission, left Hongkong for Chungking on Friday.

Leslie Lansdel, of "C" Company, 1st Bat. Middlesex Regiment, was charged before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court on Saturday, with driving a vehicle in a manner dangerous to the public in Repulse Bay Road. Hearing was fixed for 2.30 p.m. on September 29.

## EUROPEANS HELD UP BY ARMED ROBBERS

Three Europeans, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanek, manager of the Bata Shoe Store, and a friend, were victims of an armed robbery on Saturday evening, when they were driving along Tai Po Road, near the four mile stone, and were relieved of the sum of \$33.

Mr. Stanek, in his report to the police, stated that two men appeared from the side of the road and held them up with revolvers then ran up the hillside after the robbery.

## ADDITIONS TO KEY POSTS

The names of the following, according to a "Government Gazette" notification, have been added to the list already published of those holding key posts in the Colony:

Adams, William; Balgovan; Angus, George Ian; Barker, John Webb; Barkus, Robert Leo; Barron, James Forman; Bascombe, Hewett John; Bell, Robert Barr; Bertram, John William; Blake, Charles Henry; Blyth, Henry Harry.

Clemon, Frederick Charles; Cogges, Archibald Walter; Cross, Albert.

Duncan, James Herbert Swan.

Edgar, Thomas Herbert; Elliott, Francis Storry; Elliott, Frederick Arthur Milburn; Everett, Arthur George.

Farquhar, John Wallace; Ferguson, Malcolm; Forman, George.

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Noble, William; Norrie, Robert Brown; McCover.

Owens, Robert; Andrew.

Pattinson, Frederick Kingsley; Pearson, John McCallum; Pigott, Richard Stephen; Thorpe, Price; Eric Guard.

Robinson, Jack Fraser.

Shaw, Joseph Hilton; Skinn, Arthur Hugh Stanton; Spencer, William Leonard.

Thomson, John B.; Tinson, Arthur Cecil.

Walker, Robert John; Ketchen; Wanklyn, Patrick Rawson; Webster, John Saunders; Willey, Frederick John; Wilson, Charles Cyril; Wagstaffe, Wood, Cyril Frederick; Wood, John Bower.

## B. F. R. D. C. SUBSCRIPTIONS

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## Compulsory Service Amendment

The following "Hongkong Government Gazette Extraordinary" was published on Saturday:—

### HONGKONG

Ordinance No. 32 of 1939. (Compulsory Service).

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 1 (2) (d) of the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, 1939, as applied to this Colony by the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) Order in Council, 1939, published respectively as Government Notification Nos. 707 and 708 in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 39 of August 26, 1939, His Excellency the Governor makes the following regulation amending section 11 of the Company Service Ordinance, 1939:—

### AMENDMENT

1. Section 11 (2) of the Compulsory Service Ordinance, 1939, is amended by the addition of the following as a third proviso at the end thereof:—

Provided further that, subject to the provisions of section 8 as to appeals, the Compulsory Service Tribunal may at any time revoke or vary an assignment of a person to a particular group and may assign him to another group.

Mr. R. M. C. Dobbs, of the Imperial Airways, was summoned before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday for parking his car over the time limit allowed in Chater Road on August 28.

It was stated that the defendant had parked his car there for five days.

A fine of \$20 was imposed.

## Bribe Offer Alleged

### REFUGEE CAMP CONTRACT

A remand of one week was granted by Mr. R. Edwards, at the Central Court, on Saturday, when Shum Kwong-chung, contractor, and Yeung Tin-cheung, appeared on a charge of bribery.

The defendants were alleged to have offered a bribe to Mr. R. P. Shaw, of the Architectural Office, P. W. D. It was alleged that they offered three per cent of the cost of construction, for a contract for the erection of huts for a refugee camp in Argyle Street.

Ball of \$1,500 each was fixed.

### RADIO PROGRAMMES

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- 10.00—"Crazy Quilt." The Crazy Quilt Orchestra. (D3).
- 10.30—Campbelltown Gaelic Choir, conducted by Malcolm G. McCullum. (D3).
- 11.00—"The Four Feathers"—Tidings from Egypt. From the novel by A. E. W. Mason. (D3).
- 11.30—Hotel Victoria Orchestra. (D3).
- 12.00—"The News." (D3).
- 12.15—"These You Have Loved." Programme of gramophone records. (D3).
- 12.50—Sports News and Market Notes. (D3).

Charged before Mr. Edwards, at the Central Court, on Saturday, with possession of 23 counterfeit five-cent pieces and two moulds for the purpose of manufacturing counterfeit coins, Leung Wal-shum, 28, and Chan Keng-wah, 22, were remanded for one week. Inspector A. L. Hopkins prosecuted.

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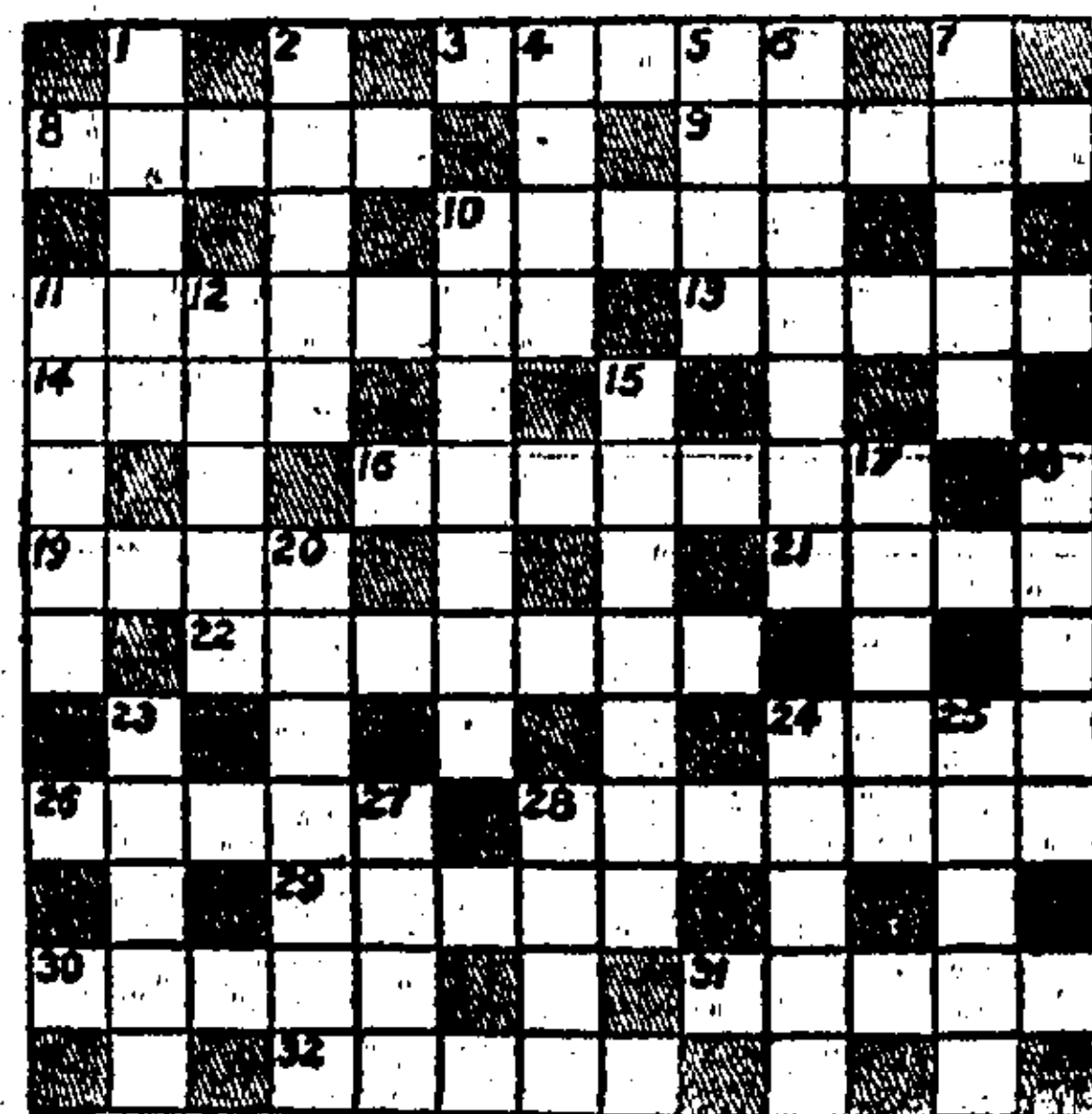
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## PROGRAMME FOR EIGHTH EXTRA MEET: TWO DAY'S RACING NEXT MONTH

The following is the Hongkong Jockey Club's programme for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting to be held at the Happy Valley on Saturday, Oct. 7, and Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The first saddling will be at 1.30 p.m. on both days. Entries will close at noon on Thursday, Sept. 23. All entries close at the secretary's office, Exchange Building.

Handicaps for the Second Day of the Meeting will be published by 6 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 8.

### FIRST DAY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1939.

1.—2 p.m.—October Handicap.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

2.—2.30 p.m.—Jordan Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "D" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Jordan Handicap (Races Nos. 2 and 3). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3.—3 p.m.—Canberra Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of any Season. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

4.—3.30 p.m.—Austin Handicap.—First Section.—Winner \$800. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Austin Handicap (Races Nos. 4 and 5). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5.—4 p.m.—Jordan Handicap.—Second Section.

(See Race No. 2)

6.—4.30 p.m.—Carnarvon Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Winners of more than \$650 in stakes, barred. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

7.—5 p.m.—Austin Handicap.—Second Section.

(See Race No. 4)

8.—5.30 p.m.—Katoomba Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies. "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Daily Double Event.—Fifth and Seventh Races.

### SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1939

1.—2 p.m.—Double Tenth Plate.—Winner \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. A Handicap for China Ponies.

## MORE AID REQUESTED FOR CHINA

### YOUTH CONFERENCE DELEGATES BACK IN HONGKONG

Ten Chinese delegates to the World Christian Youth's Conference held at The Hague in July, returned to Hongkong by the s.s. Athos II on Saturday.

China's present cause and the plight of her people in the war were reported to the conference in great detail, according to Mr. Cheng Teh-chao, one of the delegates.

Several resolutions concerning China were adopted at the conference. One advocates assistance to Chinese students forced out of school by the hostilities.

Aside from problems relating to Christianity, political, economic and diplomatic problems were also discussed, Mr. Cheng said.

### JOINT TELEGRAM

According to Miss Liang Chuan-ching, another delegate, the entire body of women delegates sent a joint telegram to President Roosevelt after the conference expressing appreciation of the American decision to abolish the 1911 Treaty of Commerce and Navigation with Japan and urging more positive aid to China.

Altogether 71 countries were represented in the meeting which lasted ten days. Germany, however, did not send any delegate.

The Chinese delegates toured Paris, London, Geneva, and other places before they returned to China.

Political circles in Chengtu generally attach great significance to the appointment of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek concurrently as chairman of the Szechwan Provincial Government. Ever since his first arrival in Szechwan in 1935, General Chiang was convinced that Szechwan was destined to be the Chinese national rejuvenation. (Central News).

## KOWLOON COURT CASES

### Filipino Student Stowaway

Fellow-students in Manila informed him he had only to secret himself aboard a vessel and give himself up to the captain en route and he would get a free passage to Hongkong. A 17-year-old Filipino student, Martin Salcedo, told Mr. Himsforth at Kowloon Court on Saturday.

Salcedo was charged, with being a stowaway on board, with entering the Colony without a valid passport, and with being a vagrant. He was committed to the House of Detention, and will be repatriated.

### SNATCHERS PUNISHED

Mrs. E. Robertson, of No. 144, Argyle Street, appeared as complainant at Kowloon Court on Saturday when Au Ki, 21, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen with the larceny of a handbag.

The defendant was arrested by a private watchman when Mrs. Robertson called out for aid as he tried to pull away her handbag. The incident occurred about 1 p.m. on Friday.

Sentence was passed of three months' hard labour.

Sentence of three months' hard labour and eight strokes of the cane was passed also on Leung Wai-kyong, convicted of snatching a wrist-watch from an elderly lady in Tai Po Road.

### MID-TSUI CHARGED

A registered mid-tsuai, Chan Yuen-wah, 17 years of age, was fined \$20, in default, six weeks' hard labour, when she appeared before Mr. Himsforth at Kowloon Court on Saturday on a charge of theft of jewellery and money from her mistress's sub-tenant.

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(a) East Lamma Channel.

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On the South—Line drawn from Stanley (162 summit) to Unkok.

On the West—Lines drawn from Unkok to summit of Lukeau and from thence to Magazine Island.

(b) Tathong Channel.

On the North—By the Anti-Submarine Boom.

On the East—Line drawn from Jan Chau Island to a point 6000 yards 080 degrees from Cape d'Agullar.

On the South—Line drawn 6,000 yards 000 degrees from Cape, d'Agullar.

On the West—The coastline between Cape d'Agullar and Cape Collinson.

## BLIND GIRLS ENJOY FUN ON BEACH

The annual picnic for the girls of the Industrial Home for Blind Girls at Pokfulam, arranged by the Christ Church Group of the Victoria Diocesan and Missionary Association, took place on Saturday, when 33 blind girls spent an enjoyable afternoon at Shek-O.

The cars, escorted by a unit of the Flying Squad, left the city at 3 p.m. After spending a happy time on the beach, the girls were presented with gifts of face-towels, handkerchiefs and soap.

## NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE BOARD

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the Hon. Sir Alasdair Duncan Atholl MacGregor, K.C., Chief Justice (Chairman), the Hon. Mr. Stanley Hudson Dodwell and Capt. Francis Cyril R.N., to be members of a Board to be called the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Reserve Board to consider and make recommendations upon applications by members of the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force already mobilized for service or not yet mobilized and by the employers of any such members of continuance of service or as to the mobilization of any member as the case may be.

## GRIPPS GALA SEASON IS BIG SUCCESS

It was Nick Korin's dance band which largely made the opening of the Hongkong Hotel Grippe's winter season on Saturday evening the success it was. The floor was packed and there were many encore demands besides request numbers.

The Ormonde Sisters, two very attractive English artistes, presented several dancing numbers, and the enthusiastic audience banked the dance floor four rows deep and took to tables and chairs for a view of the talented duo.

U.S. Thompson, the coloured tap-dancer, whose feet move so fast you can hardly catch his intricate routine, added also to the enjoyment of the evening. Thompson can dance, and those taps of his practically burned the Grippe's dance floor.

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APPOINTMENT OF  
LIQUIDATORS  
GAZETTED

Under the Alien Enemies (Winding Up) Ordinance No. 23 of 1914, His Excellency the Governor has made the following appointments of liquidators, the name in each case being given first:—

Mr. R. A. Wadson for Mr. Karl Frederick Muller, No. 91 Waterloo Road, Kowloon, Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, for Mr. W. Spiereder, c/o Melchers and Co., and Mr. V. Singer, 14 Felix Villas; Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China for Messrs. Gebruder Roesse (Swatow); Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, for A.E.G. China Electric Company, 10, Ice House Street, I.G. Farben-Industrie A.G., Frankfurt A.M., A.G.F.A. Photo. Department, Prince's Building; Messrs. Thomson & Co. for G. Hartig, proprietor of Kruse & Co., Chung Ting Building, Messrs. Glaser & Co., 26, Kadoorie Avenue; Messrs. Lam-mert Bros. for Mr. W. Klahn, No. 4, Shouson Hill, Deep Water Bay; Mr. B. E. Waetjen for Messrs. Erdmann and Sjelen, Soerboja; Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, for Mr. T. Janssen, of Messrs. F. Feld & Co., Mr. Otto Hechtel, of Messrs. F. Feld & Co.; Mr. R. A. Wadson for Mr. Max Steger, formerly of No. 20, Peak Mansions; Custodian of Enemy Property, Supreme Court, for Mr. Luer, of 174, Pokfulam Road.

Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming for Mr. E. Wessendorf c/o Messrs. O. Hausmann & Co., David House, and Messrs. O. Hausmann & Co. (Hausmann and Wessendorf), David House; Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master for Mr. Ludwig Herbert Warnecke c/o Robertson, Wilson & Co., Ltd.; Custodian of Enemy Property, Supreme Court, for Mr. F. Tolle, 1, Longsight Villa, Victoria Road, and Mr. W. Mauselschagen, 2, Longsight Villa, Victoria Road.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for Wm. Meyerink & Co., c/o Kunst and Albers, Pedder Building.

Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews for Stuckstoff-Syndikat G.M.B.H., Berlin, Corn Heyl A.G. Works, Motoren-Werke Mannheim, vorm. Benz & Co., Daimler-Benz A.G., Gaggenau, Robert Bosh G.M.B.H., Stuttgart, Bleistift-Fabrik vorm. Johann Faber A.G., Nuernberg.

Mr. Eric Macdonald Bryden, C.A., of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, has been appointed an Inspector of the business carried on in the Colony of the Internationale Gesellschaft der Stuckstoff Industrie, A.G. of Basel, with the following powers:—

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To have access to all details appertaining to the sale and banking of the proceeds thereof.

To order into which banks proceeds of sale shall be paid.

To examine all documents and interview all persons with knowledge concerning the same.

To render a monthly report to the Custodian of Enemy Property.

Mr. Denis Henry Blake of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, has been appointed liquidator of the affairs of the undermentioned persons:—

Mr. and/or Mrs. G. Amann, No. 24 Conduit Road, William Baez, c/o "Defag", Franz Brauweller, c/o The German Embassy, No. 2 Peking Road, Shanghai, Wolfgang Doehne, c/o Mr. L. Werner, Hongkong Bank Building, Mrs. Hanna Burst, P.O. Box 777, Shanghai, Gertrud Enged, c/o "Defag", Miss Elsi Gath, c/o "Defag", Karl Goetz, c/o Otto Wolff, Koch, Kurt Haase, c/o China Export and Import Bank Co., Wilhelm Hermann, c/o P.O. Box 57, Kunming, Yunnan, Max Hertz, No. 309 Prince Edward Road, top floor, Kowloon, Hans Hommel, Room 201 Asia Life Building, Helmut Koch, c/o Mr. L. Werner, Hongkong Bank Building, Rudolf Kroeger, Room 307, Bank of East Asia Building, Otto Kuttner, No. 29 F.C. Shamene, Canton, Herbert Langensleben, c/o "Defag", Dietrich Leiding and L. C. Liedke, No. 14 Sau Chuk Yuen Road; O. Stertortienweg 44A Bremen, Germany, Juergen Mueller, c/o Mr. L. Werner, Hongkong Bank Building, Hans Richter, c/o P. J. Klink, G. Fritz Bauer, c/o China Export and Import Bank Co., Mrs. Elsi Schmidt, c/o Carlowitz and Co., Wolfgang Sommer, Bank of China Building, 4th floor, Heig Sperling, 10, Ice House Street, or No. 8, Cameron Road, Kowloon, Felix Buchloh, No. 1 Tramway Path, Ernst Fischle, c/o The Basel Mission, No. 58, Tai-po Road, Michael von Hassel, c/o Jensen and Co., Mrs. Johanna Schaffa, No. 70 Robinson Road, Mrs. Hedl Harms Zanden, c/o Kunst and Albers, Otto Hoeft, c/o Eurasia Aviation Corporation, Lionel Arthur Dabelstein.

COMPULSORY  
SERVICE  
TRIBUNAL

A public session of the Compulsory Service Tribunal, appointed by His Excellency the Governor, under the Compulsory Service Ordinance, No. 32 of 1939, will be held in the Council Chamber, Colonial Secretariat, at 4 p.m., on Thursday, Sept. 28.

CHINA'S YOUNG  
DOCTORS CALLEDNeed Far Exceeds  
Available Supply

CHUNGKING, Sept. 18 (C. I. C.)—Graduates of all medical colleges registered with the Ministry of Education are required to enlist in government medical service. This year's number of fully trained students include 284 doctors and ten pharmacists. Half of the number will serve in base hospitals, while the other half will enlist in other government health work not connected with the army.

Graduates of army medical schools and training corps, who are at present occupied in other work, have also been ordered by the government to join the Army Medical Service. According to an investigation made by the authorities, about 281 are available for such service.

Government medical services are estimated to need more than 20,000 persons. More than 13,000 doctors, pharmacists and nurses are required for the military work alone.

Registered with the National Health Administration are 9,319 doctors, 618 pharmacists, 4,905 nurses, 2,279 assistant pharmacists, 288 dentists, and 3,894 midwives. The percentage of those registered who are in government service is not available, but the need of competent workers grows with the progress of the war.

PANAMA PARLEY  
AND NEUTRALITY

PANAMA, Sept. 24 (Reuters)—The opening session of the Pan-American Conference yesterday discussed the formation of a Permanent Neutrality Committee for the two American continents.

COLONY HEALTH  
BULLETIN

There were no cases of cholera in the Colony on Sept. 22.

Returns of notifiable diseases on this date include seven cases of enteric fever, two cases of dysentery (one imported), twenty-two cases of tuberculosis and two cases of diphtheria.

## EASTERN HEALTH

The following is the Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports for the week ending Sept. 16.

Plague: Bassein 2 cases, Cholera: Allahabad 6 cases, Cawnpore 11 cases, Calcutta 14 cases, Chittagong 1 case, Macao 17 cases, Hongkong 12 cases, Shanghai 93 cases, Small-Pox: Delhi 1 case, Bombay 2 cases, Calcutta 3 cases, Madras 2 cases, Jodhpur 1 death.

Mr. Walter Hanming Chen, General Hon. Secretary of the South China Athletic Association and a member of the Council of the Hongkong Football Association, is leaving shortly for Manila on a vacation trip. He expects to be back before the end of October.

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GASOLINE  
RATIONING  
IN BRITAINTAXI-DRIVERS ARE  
HARD HIT

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuters)—Among those hardest hit by the petrol rationing measures were the taxi-drivers who are to be confined to two gallons a day.

They say they will be unable to make a living and the Union is trying to obtain extra rations. While the taxis will be hit, it will mean more freight passengers for the railways, which are already extremely busy.

Many private car owners have filled up their tanks in the last few days and when they are empty the streets will see fewer owner-drivers.

## TRAFFIC REDUCED

An earlier message stated that petrol rationing took effect at midnight on Saturday and that already there was a perceptible diminution in the amount of traffic on London streets.

The allowance to motorists, other than those entitled to supplementary supplies owing to their public duties or the special nature of their business, permits of a mileage of between the paramount needs of the Services and wide conservation of supplies rendering more severe restriction in the future unlikely, and to make savings in normal consumption essential.

The economy required of commercial transport is 25 per cent. of its estimate of normal peacetime consumption.

Nazi Charge  
RefutedBRITISH BLOCKADE  
NOT VIOLATION OF  
INTERNATIONAL LAW

LONDON, Sept. 23 (Reuters)—The Ministry of Information has replied to Nazi charges that the British blockade is violating international law.

Neutrals, says the Ministry, have the right to trade with Germany, but equally Great Britain has the right to intercept contraband, even if it is passing through neutral countries.

## FULLY EXERCISED

This right was fully exercised in the last war, and no belligerent can be expected to stand by and allow the enemy to import goods which will enable her to carry on the war.

Britain is ready to consider neutral needs for obtaining commodities from overseas.

HITLER LOSES  
HIS COFFEE!British Contraband  
Control

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuters)—The effect of the British blockade has now been brought home to Herr Hitler himself. British contraband control yesterday seized 20 bags of coffee amounting to over two tons which were consigned to Hitler from Arabia.

The German people have for some time been deprived of the real coffee. The consignment for Herr Hitler was despatched on Aug. 8 and it seems that even then the Nazi leader was preparing for a long war.

THE KING'S  
THANKS

LONDON, Sept. 23 (Reuters)—The King has expressed his appreciation of messages of loyalty received from the Sultan of Zanzibar, the Federated Malay States and Kenya.

His Majesty has asked that his message be specially conveyed to the large Chinese community in Johore.

The King in a personal message to the Sultan of Zanzibar, recalled the help given by Zanzibar in the last war.

Among the latest messages of loyalty received in London is one from the Ashanti.

## Hello &amp; Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

The Races and the opening of the Grippe's winter entertainment season were the two outstanding dates for the local public over the past week-end, but these social activities did not draw all the attention.

The wharves where several large commercial transports due to sail were thronged with goodbye wishers.

## Imperial Airways

SUNDAY, 5 P.M., Captain Joe Davies put the R.M.A. Dorado down at Kai Tak. The weekly inward air mail, though now being carried at a higher rate, appears to be increasing in kilos compared with the past few services. Arriving yesterday from all Empire ports were 360 kilos of first class mail.

Mr. B. Herschend, connected with John Manners and Co., Ltd., returned from a business trip on the Sunday plane. This local resident evidently enjoyed the flight north.

Mr. O. Aoki, was the other passenger. By various stages, this gentleman has flown from Europe with a few stop-overs. His last visit of any length was in Singapore, where he embarked on the Imperial Airways' service for Hongkong. After a few days here, he will be departing again. The cause of his visit was the transportation of newsreels taken in London recently.

## Steamer Traffic

OUT OF THE HARBOUR before the black-out the other night sailed one of the largest commercial liners on a call to Manila.

Mr. A. Sawamura was travelling south for the opening of the Japanese Tourist Bureau in Manila. This agency has a long list of branches in all parts of the world and provides travellers with travel information of a general nature, and it naturally specializes on Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Polson, accompanied by their two youngsters, travelled down to Manila. Unfortunately, we did not meet the parents of the two younger members of the family, but from them it would seem that they were bound on one of the most wonderful adventures of a lifetime.

Returning to his home and offices in Manila was Mr. S. I. Cooke who has been business calling in our city. Mr. C. N. King held a ticket to Manila, but he must have decided to stay on here, because he was not about on the evening of sailing.

The sailing of the American steamer for the United States via Shanghai was a lively affair.

LADY ASSISTANT  
ALMONERS

It is notified in the "Government Gazette" that two Probationer Lady Assistant Almoners for training under the direction of the Almoner are wanted.

The particulars and qualifications are as follows:—

- (1) Chinese race.
- (2) British subject.
- (3) About 25 years of age.
- (4) Passed the Hongkong University Matriculation Examination or its equivalent. Preference will be given to University graduates though the applications of candidates not having this qualification will be considered.
- (5) Able to speak and read English and Cantonese fluently.
- (6) Applicants to serve as unpaid pupil almoners for three months before appointment, and appointment to be dependent on abilities shown in that period.
- (7) Salary—\$1,440 to \$1,740 by \$60 annually with rent allowance of \$30 per month.

Applications with copies of testimonials as to character and certificates of education to be forwarded to the Director of Medical Services, Post Office Building, 3rd floor on or before October 1, 1939.

JAPAN'S NEW  
FOREIGN OFFICE  
HEAD

TOKYO, Sept. 23 (Reuters)—Admiral Kichiro Saburo Nomura, President of the Peers' School, who was commander-in-chief of Japan's Third Fleet during the Rino-Japanese hostilities, at Shanghai in 1932, has been appointed Foreign Minister.

He takes over the portfolio from the Premier, General Abe.

There were many passengers leaving, and though the atmosphere in the interior of the ship was quite hot, the public rooms and individual cabins were overflowing with gay and buzzing conversation.

Captain and Mrs. J. T. G. Stapler, U.S.N. were the passengers who held supreme popularity when it came to flower baskets. The Captain, formerly in charge of the U. S. South China Patrol left for his home in America and new duties.

Up ad down the hallway paced Major W. Mayer, Military Attache to the United States Embassy in Peking, just before the steamer departed. The Army official is returning to his post in the north after a call in Chungking.

The popular Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fletcher were sailing to Shanghai. The American Consul in Canton and his wife were recipients of a gay "toasting party."

There were many friends down to speed Mrs. G. W. Muckley on her way to San Francisco. This charming visitor will certainly be missed by the Texaco group who have enjoyed her visit to the utmost.

Where was Mr. E. F. Drumright, another important American official? This gentleman, attached to the United States Embassy in Peking, as Secretary was supposed to be on his way to San Francisco. We hope he gets there!

The charming Mr. A. Brostedt, Asiatic Traffic Manager for Canadian National Railway, was bound for a trip to Kobe.

B'd gay adios were Mr. Herbert T. King and Mr. K. C. Lou. These young men are bound for the United States where they will join Oberlin College. They were quite excited over the trip and life in general.

Another student travelling to America was Mr. Lee Seng Gee, who will enter University of Pennsylvania. There were many gay friends down to speed him away, and a few tears were flowing on his account.

Mrs. M. L. Ulrich, accompanied by her young son, are travelling to Los Angeles. The head of the family, connected with the Standard Vacuum Oil Co., was on the pier side waving adios.

INCREASED FARES  
BY IMPERIAL  
AIRWAYS

Imperial Airways announce that, as from October 1, 1939, all passenger fares, baggage, and freight rates will be increased by a 25 per cent War surcharge. Fares paid or deposits already collected will not be subject to this surcharge.

Rebates previously granted on return tickets, through bookings, and air/sea interchange are suspended as from October 1, 1939.

## AIRPORT NEWS

## Imperial Airways:

**SOUTHBOUND**  
Wednesday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Dardanus—7 a.m.

**NORTHBOUND**  
Sunday, Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong.  
Dardanus—4 p.m.

**Air France:**  
**NORTHBOUND**  
Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.  
Service—5 p.m.

**SOUTHBOUND**  
Thursday: Hanoi, France.  
Service—6 a.m.

**Pan American Airways:**  
**EASTBOUND**  
Wednesday: U.S.A., Manila, Hongkong.  
Philippine Clipper—2 p.m.

**WESTBOUND**  
Thursday: Manila, U.S.A.  
Philippine Clipper—3.30 a.m.

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CHECK TO  
HITLER

THE ASSASSINATION of the Rumanian Prime Minister, M. Calinescu, put the spotlight once again on the Nazi tactics of first undermining internally the countries they wish to conquer.

THE ANSWER of the Bucharest Government was swift and decisive. The nine assassins of the Premier were shot immediately on the scene of their crime. Thousands of executions put an end, probably for good, to the activities of the German-financed "Iron Guard." Domestic Nazism in Rumania, like its Fascist counterparts elsewhere in Europe, was the spearhead of the advance of the Third Reich—in this case towards rich oil and wheat fields which it had long coveted. This spearhead has now been broken off.

HOW IS IT that Rumania, a small weak country which after the occupation of Prague gave docile assent to a Nazi-dictated trade treaty which placed all her resources at Hitler's disposal, has dared to strike back so dramatically at a Germany armed and on the march?

A GLANCE at the map will give the answer. Germany has invaded Poland—but to the much desired oil of Rumania, her advance is barred. There is a new cordon stretching along the entire length of the former Polish-Rumanian frontier, and this cordon is manned by Soviet troops. Russia has given her word to respect Rumanian neutrality. This means that no hostile troops will advance upon that country through territory she holds. If Hitler wants to march on Rumania to-day he must go through Hungary or not at all. And to march through Hungary may mean that he will have another war on his hands.

THE FACT THAT, after the collapse of Polish resistance

in Galicia, Rumania did not find the Nazi colossus camped on her borders gave her assurance to deal with Hitler's agents as they deserved. The entire Balkan bloc may now be said to be in a similar position. The shadow of the Third Reich which once lay dark across Southeastern Europe from Budapest to the Black Sea is definitely lifting.

GERMANY'S APPEALS for peace, directly and through Signor Mussolini, show that she is by no means happy at the position which has been created. When she first envisaged the possibility of an armed struggle against the West, she certainly counted on the agricultural wealth of Poland and Southeastern Europe to help her to carry on a war of attrition—just as Polish, Rumanian and Ukrainian wheat were all at her disposal between the years 1915 and 1918. To-day, the Ukraine and the agricultural sections of Poland are in the hands of a neutral, temporarily well-disposed but strong enough to say "No" to Hitler at any time. No wonder that the Reich is trying to extricate itself from the struggle into which its leaders have plunged Europe.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE have declared their determination to crush the Brown regime, cut at the root of Nazi aggression, and liberate the Czech, Polish and German peoples from the yoke of Hitlerism. There is only one quick way they can do this—to take the initiative now, when the Nazis are afraid to take it, to smash the rumours of a quick peace with which Hitler keeps his people docile, and to spare nothing in the effort.



## CHINA WAR NEWS:

## CHINESE BREAK THROUGH CANTON'S OUTER DEFENCE

YUNGKUN, KWANGTUNG, SEPT. 24 (Central). CHINESE FORCES HAVE SMASHED THROUGH THE JAPANESE OUTER DEFENCE LINES FOR CANTON AT SEVERAL POINTS. FIELD DISPATCHES STATE.

Fahsien, Pingkong, Kailow, Aotauhu and Fukwoku have been successfully recaptured by them in a series of counter-attacks. No fewer than 2,500 Japanese casualties were inflicted, and three prisoners were taken.

In addition, four field pieces, five trench mortars, nine heavy machine-guns, twelve light machine-guns, 235 rifles, five flags of the Rising Sun, and considerable ammunition were seized. Some 500 Chinese casualties were admitted.

The Chinese successes were attributed to the co-operation between the troops and the civilians. Armed peasants helped to disrupt the Japanese communication lines, destroy important bridges and attack convoy corps, while village folks, both men and women, assisted in Chinese military transport, first aid service and elimination of traitors and undesirable elements.

## Kaoan Recaptured

SHANGHAI, KIANGSI, Sept. 24 (Central).—After a brief occupation by the Japanese, Kaoan, important town 40 miles south-west of Nanchang in Kiangsi was retaken by the Chinese yesterday morning.

Following the Japanese entry on Sept. 19, heavy Chinese reinforcements were rushed up and a general counter-offensive was launched on Thursday night. After a night-long battle, the Japanese were routed and fled in confusion, leaving large numbers of bodies and arms on the field.

## Fighting in Progress

Remnant Japanese were intercepted north-east of Kaoan, where fighting is reported to be in progress.

The Chinese who recaptured Tschien near Kaoan on Wednesday have wrested back another town, Hsiehyu, in the east, and are reported to have established contact with their comrades advancing from Kaoan.

Meanwhile, on the southeastern Fengsin sector, north of Kaoan the Chinese have recaptured Nanchanho, Yuanchien, Chowchwang and other points.

## In North Hunan

MILO, HUNAN, Sept. 24 (Central).—Fighting with their back to the stream, the Chinese on the north bank of the Sinsiang River in north Hunan have successfully repelled all Japanese attacks.

Japanese land batteries and guns aboard warships in the Tungting Lake have severely bombarded the Chinese lines.

Fight was particularly severe at Tsaoehsing (Straw Shoes Cliff), where some 500 Japanese casualties were inflicted on Sept. 21 alone.

## Chinese Drive

SHIHING, KWANGTUNG, Sept. 24 (Central).—Chinese forces continue their drive on Kongmoon.

Touy near Kongmoon was regained by them on Wednesday morning. Some 400 Japanese casualties were inflicted in the engagement.

Two hundred Japanese wounded were conveyed back to Kongmoon and 300 dead were cremated at the foot of Tatim Hill outside Kongmoon on Tuesday.

## Japanese Offensive

CHANGSHA, SEPT. 24 (Central).—A concerted attack was launched by Japanese land, naval and air forces in north Hunan yesterday.

Japanese troops on the north bank of the Sinsiang River made repeated attempts to cross the river but were repelled by the Chinese.

Meanwhile, Japanese bluejackets from war vessels in the Tungting Lake made persistent efforts to land at Luchuehshih, outside the mouth of the Sinsiang River about 15 miles south of Yoyang, and Yingting, about ten miles north of Siangyin. Over thirty Japanese motor boats were sunk in the abortive landing at Luchuehshih.

Japanese aircraft actively bombarded Chinese positions to cover the land and naval drives.

## In South Hopei

SOUTE HOPEI, SEPT. 24 (Central).—Four hundred Japanese troops on their way from Hotsieh, southwest Shantung, to Kaitung in thirty trucks were attacked by the Chinese, near Tungling, at the southern tip of Hopei Province across the Shantung border, on Sept. 20.

Some 100 Japanese were killed and fifty wounded in the five-hour engagement which ensued.

## FORMER SOVIET OFFICIAL DIES MYSTERIOUSLY

PARIS, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—M. Raskolnikov, former Soviet Minister to Bulgaria, is reported to have died in a nursing home in Nice in mysterious circumstances, according to "L'Intransigeant."

M. Raskolnikov was relieved of his post as Minister for Bulgaria in April 1938 and was declared an outlaw by the U.S.S.R. Supreme Court on the ground that he "joined the camp of the enemies of the people."

## NEUTRALITY POLL IN U.S. SENATE

## GOOD SUPPORT FOR ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—The latest poll on Senatorial opinion on neutrality, shows that approximately 35 Senators oppose the repeal of the arms embargo, the majority of the remaining 61 support President Roosevelt, but between ten to fifteen are not committed either way.

Mr. Roosevelt's supporters remain confident of ultimate success, though they foresee a month or six months stormy debating and Parliamentary manoeuvring before the isolationists are defeated.

## Nazi Planes Over Neutral Territory

## ONE FORCED DOWN OFF SWEDEN

BRUSSELS, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—Belgian newspapers to-day report that a Nazi military plane flew over Malmédy and was followed later by a squadron of 18 machines.

Malmédy is a district ceded to Belgium by Germany after the Great War.

Steps have been taken to make the Belgian frontier quite clear from the air. At night all towns and villages will be lighted as usual. During the day a large letter "B" in white is placed on the ground at intervals between the frontier and the nearest town.

## FORCED DOWN

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 23 (Reuter).—A German military plane was forced down in Swedish territorial waters to-day owing to engine trouble.

The plane was taken in tow by a Swedish destroyer and will be interned.

## BELGIAN ONDECK

BRUSSELS, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—In the instructions regarding the marking of a Belgian Frontier State at night, all Belgian townships and hamlets must maintain their usual lighting so as to be clearly visible from the air, and particularly the frontier regions. During the day, the signal will be clearly visible from the air in the form of the letter "B" which will be placed on the ground between the town or hamlet concerned and the nearest frontier.

## JAPAN'S ANTI-BRITISH DRIVE TURNS AGAINST MISSIONARIES

PEIPING, SEPT. 24 (REUTER).—THE DRIVE AGAINST BRITISH MISSIONARIES IN NORTH CHINA CONTINUES.

Another group of missionaries belonging to the United Church of Canada, have arrived from North Hunan, as well as the Chinese Inland Mission representative from Hantao, on the railway near the South Hopei border.

## CHINESE INTENSIFYING ATTACK IN SHANSI

LOYANG, SEPT. 24 (Central).—In southeast Shansi, the Chinese are intensifying their encircling attack on Changchih, Changtze and Hukwan. Large contingents of Japanese reinforcements have been called in to defend the cities, the loss of which would mean Japan's loosening of her grip on that part of Shansi.

On the night of Sept. 17 Chinese "dare-to-die" corps once again broke into Hukwan. Bloody street fighting raged for hours with considerable losses on both sides.

## NAZI ARMY OFFICER IS KILLED

## COLONEL - GENERAL VON FRITSCH FALLS FIGHTING

LONDON, Sept. 23 (Reuter).—One of the leading officers in the German Army, Colonel-General von Fritsch, was killed in action yesterday in fighting on the Warsaw Front.

This is announced in an official communique issued from Hitler's Headquarters.

## FELL FIGHTING

The communique states that Col-General von Fritsch fell in fighting at Warsaw and will be buried with full military honours.

The General was 59 years of age.

Some 41 years ago, he entered the Army in the Field Artillery.

## MILITARY CAREER

During the Great War he was a General Staff Officer with the Fourth Army, and after the War rose to the rank of Lieutenant-General.

He was made Commander-in-Chief of the Reichswehr in February 1934, was promoted to Col-General two years later, and remained as C-in-C until February, 1938, when spectacular changes, otherwise known as a "purge," were made in the higher command of the German Army.

He was rehabilitated in June of last year and given command of an Artillery Regiment in recognition of his services to the Army.

## Severe Quake In Turkey

## 200 KILLED: 5,000 HOMELESS

SMYRNA, Sept. 23 (Reuter).—Over 200 were killed and several hundred injured in yesterday morning's quake in the Smyrna district.

About 1,000 shops, houses and stores were wrecked, and 5,000 people are without shelter. Intermittent shocks continue.

## LASTED 10 SECONDS

ANKARA, Sept. 23 (Reuter).—The casualties in the extremely violent earthquake in Smyrna yesterday are larger than at first reported.

The quake, which was recorded at Athens Observatory, lasted 10 seconds.

The Island of Mitlene was rocked and houses collapsed.

## CARE OF HOMELESS

ANKARA, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—The Turkish Government has set aside large sums for the care of those are homeless or injured in the Smyrna earthquake.

## OVER 5,000 CHINESE GAIN ENTRANCE TO COLLEGES

CHUNGKING, SEPT. 24 (Central).—A total of 5,085 students passed the entrance examinations of Chinese government colleges and universities recently held by an admission committee appointed by the Ministry of Education.

They were chosen from among 21,283 students who took the examinations given simultaneously in 13 cities in Free China, and they will be distributed between 24 government colleges and universities.

Among them, 1,781 will specialise in arts, law, commerce and other similar courses, 2,679 in science and engineering, and 623 in agriculture and medicine.

## "AUSSIES" GOING OVER AGAIN

## EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—A message from Canberra says that the Australian Government has decided to send an expeditionary force overseas. The force will include other detachments, besides the four bomber and two fighter squadrons already promised.

Arrangements are also being made to form, from the militia, a special force of one division, with auxiliary units for home or overseas service.

New militia garrison battalions will be formed from the Army Reserve.

In addition, the Royal Australian Navy has been fully commissioned.

Once again the British public expresses deep gratitude for this magnificent offer of help.

## SEAMEN'S SPIRIT UNDAUNTED

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sunk early this morning by a German submarine.

The ship, which was carrying a cargo of wood pulp, was stopped off the south coast of Norway.

The U-boat ordered the ship nearer the coast, so that the crew could reach shore safely, and then placed dynamite in the hold.

The ship sank in a few minutes.

The crew of 24 landed in Norway in two boats.

## ANOTHER SINKING

STOCKHOLM, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—The Finnish steamer, Walma, was attacked and sunk by two German submarines a few miles south-west of Hällo lighthouse, off the west coast of Sweden. The crew of 18 were rescued.

## FINNISH PROTEST

BERLIN, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—The Finnish Minister in Berlin has protested against the sinking yesterday of Finnish ships by German submarines.

## PATROL BOAT STRIKES MINE

LONDON, SEPT. 23 (Reuter).—It was officially announced to-day that H. M. S. Kittiwake, a patrol boat of 500 tons, struck a mine in the Channel on Wednesday.

Five of the crew were killed and two injured.

The vessel has returned to port for repairs, and the injured men are now in hospital.

## SUBS OFF MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—For the second time two unknown submarines were reported last night in the Gulf of Mexico, just outside the three-mile limit of the State of Vera Cruz.

One was reported to be sighted off the port of Vera Cruz, off Puerto Mexico, which was the only sea exit of the enormous oil production of the Isthmus of Tehuantepec.

## NO PEACE WITH NAZI REGIME

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balcony and summon the whole Italian nation to hear that statement.

## BRITAIN'S PURPOSE

LONDON, SEPT. 23 (Reuter).—While there is no official comment yet on Signor Mussolini's speech, Mr. Neville Chamberlain's words on Wednesday are recalled.

Mr. Chamberlain on that occasion stated, inter alia, that our purpose was to redeem Europe from the perpetual and recurring fear of German aggression, and that no threats would deter us from that purpose.

## INTERESTING INDICATION

LONDON, SEPT. 23 (Reuter).—An interesting indication of Italian policy was given over the Rome Radio to-day, with the reading of extracts from the "Popolo d'Italia," with which Signor Mussolini has close associations.

The article declares: "Collaboration between Germany and Italy will continue in future and this can be taken into consideration in determining our policy."

## PRES. MOSCICKI INTERNED IN RUMANIA

STOCKHOLM, SEPT. 23 (Reuter).—According to a message from Moscow, the German radio has announced that the Rumanian Government has decided to intern President Moscicki of Poland.



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## GUNS POUND WARSAW

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Earlier dispatches from Paris stated that Herr Hitler had joined General von Brauchitsch, the German Commander-in-Chief, on the Western Front and that his arrival coincided with renewal of German counter-attacks. The report was confirmed.

It is added that the German military mission which went to Moscow to demarcate the zones to be occupied in Poland is remaining there for further military negotiations.

## WESTERN FRONT ACTIVITY

PARIS, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—It is reported that the presence of Herr Hitler and Gen. von Brauchitsch coincided with a marked renewal in activity.

Over the whole front, especially in the vast zone between the Saar and Rhine, a number of local actions have begun. These included the activities of German patrols in a greater force than usual and unusually heavy artillery bombardments of French positions.

At one point a regular attack was made not by a company, as on previous occasions, but by a whole battalion attacking in waves.

The attack, it is stated, showed considerable tenacity, but failed completely before the French defence. As each successive wave of German troops began to advance, it was met by withering fire from big French guns and machine-guns.

Each wave was checked at the outset and as one account put it, it was "nalled to the ground."

## VIOLENT STREET FIGHTING

LONDON, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—A Nazi communique announces further withdrawals of German troops from Poland in the face of the Soviet advance, though it is careful to emphasise that there is no Soviet pressure on Germany.

A Nazi news agency reports violent street fighting in Grodno, between Polish and Soviet troops.

## LICENCES FOR EXPORTS

SIMLA, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—In order to preserve supplies and to prevent essentials from reaching the enemy through neutral countries, the Government is shortly instituting a licensing system for exports to non-British destinations.

It is understood that licences will be granted freely for goods to all countries in America, almost the whole of Asia, including China and Japan, and also to Egypt.

Licences for exports to neutral countries will be issued to the limit of normal exports to these countries. The list of key commodities controlled under this system includes raw and manufactured cotton, wool, hides, skins, mica, raw rubber, manganese ore, castor oil, coconut oil, oil seeds and oil cakes.

## WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m. Sept. 24

Barometer (at sea level), 29.98 in.

Temperature, 83° F.

Humidity, 70 per cent.

Wind Direction, E/N

Wind Force (Beaufort), 5

Temperature; maximum yesterday, 85° F.

Temperature; minimum last night, 78° F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending to-day, nil.

Total rainfall since January 1, 79.86 in.

Against an average of 76.10 in.

Summit to-night 7.19 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 6.12 a.m.

4 p.m., Sept. 24

Barometer (at sea level), 29.98 in.

Temperature, 83° F.

Humidity, 60 per cent.

Wind Direction, E

Wind Force (Beaufort), 5

Maximum temperature, 84° F.

Minimum temperature, 78° F.

Rainfall, nil.

## Truth Told Germans By Patriots

LONDON, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—The German Freedom Party has made a broadcast to the German people stating that Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare could never succeed, although Dr. Goebbels, Reich Propaganda Minister, tried to make a dreadnought out of every fishing boat sunk.

The Nazi Government is blaming the people into pretending that they can starve out Britain.

Addressing the soldiers in the trenches, the announcer said: "Fight with us against the Gestapo. Talk to comrades in the trenches. They will fight with us against the Government. Tell your comrades how their families live at home, set against Hitler's war aims and the German people's peace aims."

"Down with Hitler!" said the announcer at the conclusion of the broadcast.

CHURCHILL'S "ATROCITIES" LONDON, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—This is a brief review of continental radio programmes this week.

German stations are trying to give poor Mr. Winston Churchill a bad name. They accuse him of being the author of atrocities.

The German announcer from the Polish station said that two Poles with their pockets full of bombs had been arrested at the famous monastery of Cheshnoko. They had been hired by "an English speaking man" to bomb churches, it was stated.

This, the announcer said, was a good example of the atrocities of Mr. Churchill.

It is alleged that the Polish prisoners brought before the microphone say that they had been deceived by their leaders, that Britain and France have betrayed them and that the "kind" Germans are giving them "plenty of bread and jam."

Moscow has been broadcasting "atrocity stories" reminiscent of those sent out from German radio stations.

Finally, it alleged that an Indian Nationalist leader came to the microphone and said that the British Empire was about to break up because of the Nationalist struggle in India.

The Indian Nationalist spoke with a strong Prussian accent.

## ESTHONIA &amp; SOVIET

TALLIN, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—The Estonian Foreign Minister is making a visit to Moscow.

One report says he will negotiate a new commercial treaty with the Soviet, but it is also suggested in Moscow that he is visiting the Soviet capital in connection with the Soviet allegations that Estonia has connived at the recent escape of the interned Polish submarine.

## CIVIL AIR GUARD MEMBERS

LONDON, SEPT. 24 (Reuter).—The first batch of Civil Air Guard members have been warned to hold themselves in readiness for an interview with the authorities in view of their possible admittance into the Royal Air Force.

This batch includes men up to the age of 28 who have passed and are in possession of the "A" licence.

## PEIPING FOOD PRICES SOAR

CHUNGKING, SEPT. 24 (Central).—Owing to shortage prices of foodstuffs in Peiping continue to rise, according to a Tientsin message.

Flour is sold at between \$12 and \$14.50 per sack, while rice costs as much as \$44 per picul.



## RACING RESULTS

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This position was maintained into the home straight, when Strathcarrick, well-handled by Mr. Pih, broke away from the bunch and went on strongly to snatch victory from the now tiring A Great Time. Amber II, who had been lying handy, ran a good third, ousting Violet Queen for that place in the last furlong.

Gosford Handicap—"C" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. J. F. MacGregor's Strathcarrick, 142 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1

Mr. Li Po-chun & Son's A Great Time, 162 lbs. (Mr. V. V. Needa) 2

Mr. Luminous' Amber II, 147 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 3

Won by 4 lengths, 2 lengths between second and third.

Time: 1:48.0. Pari-mutuel:— Winner: 78.10.

Places: \$19, \$7.40, \$67.90.

Also ran: Ajax, 142 lbs. (S. L. Yuen); Annabella, 165 (A. W. Raymond); Buffin Bay, 153 (D. Black); Bruno, 157 (B. A. Proulx); Brutus, 160 (C. Treverton); Cairnmore, 153 (Q. Encarnacao); Heinz, 152 (H. J. A. Hearne); Macquarie River, 135 (W. G. Poy); Roodly, 135 (W. H. S. Davis); Ruby Star, 155 (B. L. Tao); Tarzan, 143 (C. F. H. Churchill); Violet Queen, 138 (H. M. Botelho).

Betting

Strathcarrick ..... 209 202

A Great Time ..... 1,193 1,165

Amber II ..... 30 45

Ajax ..... 4 24

Annabella ..... 741 587

Buffin Bay ..... 144 162

Bruno ..... 880 695

Brutus ..... 197 191

Cairnmore ..... 75 112

Heinz ..... 9 35

Macquarie River ..... 32 50

Roodly ..... 20 35

Ruby Star ..... 140 159

Tarzan ..... 1 9

Violet Queen ..... 26 62

RACE SEVEN

CLEAR WATER BAY HANDICAP (2ND RACE OF DAILY DOUBLE)

Here again, the favourite, Ascot Vale, proved a great disappointment, at no stage being prominent in the going. Bressay led all the way comfortably from West Lake and Kut Cheung, the latter two fighting desperately for second place which they had to share, having finished in a dead heat in one of the most exciting races of the day.

Clear Water Bay Handicap (From the 1 1/4 Mile Post)

Mr. T. & E's Bressay, 151 lbs. (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne) 1

Mr. Lui's West Lake, 151 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 2\*

Mr. Jolly Company's Kut Cheung, 158 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 2\*

Won a length and half, dead heat between second and third.

Time: 1:11.1. Pari-mutuel:— Winner: \$37.

Places: \$10.70, \$11.80, \$9.80.

Also ran: Ascot Vale, 168 lbs. (C. Encarnacao); Gallant Marshal, 149 (S. L. Yuen); Gog, 157 (V. V. Needa); Green Bay, 160 (C. Treverton); Matador, 148 (C. F. Chiu); National Honour, 163 (Yeung H. P. Chan); Smiling Time, 158 (W. G. Poy); National Liberty, 158 (B. L. Black); The Mermaid, 135 (B. L. Tao); Sports Venture, 160 (E. I. Ip); Wild Bear, 164 (H. C. Pih).

Betting

Bressay ..... 372 349

Kut Cheung ..... 594 414

West Lake ..... 440 294

Ascot Vale ..... 605 377

Gallant Marshal ..... 22 47

Gog ..... 450 478

Green Bay ..... 58 60

Matador ..... 14 33

National Honour ..... 19 23

National Liberty ..... 324 194

Smiling Time ..... 45 53

Sports Venture ..... 104 113

The Mermaid ..... 4 16

Wild Bear ..... 78 97

RACE EIGHT

JUNK BAY HANDICAP

Zero set a fast pace and led the field to the home stretch when Sunlight View (strongly ridden by Mr. Pih) came up to gust the leaders for first place and justify the confidence placed on him by punters. Zero and Sunlight View, making late challenges, finished behind Sunlight View in that order.

Junk Bay Handicap—"D" Class (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Lan's Sunlight View, 161 lbs. (Mr. K. I. Ip) 1

Mr. M. F. L. Haynes' Zero, 143 lbs. (Mr. F. L. Haynes) 2

Mr. L.T.F.'s Gold Coin, 149 lbs. (Mr. C. F. Chiu) 3

Won by 4 lengths, length and a half between second and third.

Time: 1:35.1. Pari-mutuel:— Winner: \$15.40.

Places: \$9.80, \$49.80, \$18.80.

Also ran: Clowder, 148 lbs. (T. W. Chatter); Desert Star, 140 (S. W. Lee); Double Chance, 159 (C. R.

Payne); Ebony Idol, 140 (C. Treverton); Estover, 149 (A. F. D. Colson); Fel Ying, 142 (Ho Hong-ying); Golden Cow, 145 (Chiu Ki-fan); Meteor, 140 (R. Slean); National Anthem, 140 (H. M. Botelho); Night View, 163 (K. W. Fung); Royal Highness, 163 (L. O. C. Hin); Sylvandale, 168 (Hoo Pak-ming); The Tigress, 158 (R. K. C. Chiu); Valorous, 145 (R. M. Wood).

Betting

Sunlight View ..... 762 46

Zero ..... 41 37

Gold Coin ..... 261 187

Clowder ..... 81 74

Desert Star ..... 373 300

Double Chance ..... 108 188

Ebony Idol ..... 288 232

Estover ..... 163 112

Fel Ying ..... 57 108

Golden Cow ..... 28 28

Meteor ..... 12 18

National Anthem ..... 137 123

Night View ..... 11 20

Royal Highness ..... 26 33

Sylvandale ..... 137 125

The Tigress ..... 8 8

Valorous ..... 205 201

RACE NINE

ISLAND BAY HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

A good start saw Blue Diamond take the lead which was maintained to the finish but not without being extended in the last stretch, for Taxing Master, the favourite, put in a late challenge and it is a question whether the results would not have been reversed had not Taxing Master spurred earlier, but it appeared as if the favourite was slightly bunched and could not get clear in time. Forgotten Star, prominent early, was only able to finish third.

Island Bay Handicap—2nd Section —"C" Class (1 Mile)

Mr. Hung's Blue Diamond, 151 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 1

Mr. Wong Sui-ngau's Taxing Master, 151 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 2

Mr. Kong Bros.' Forgotten Star, 151 lbs. (Mr. S. W. Fan) 3

Won by short head, 3 lengths between second and third.

Time: 2:03.2. Pari-mutuel:— Winner: \$16.90.

Places: \$6.20, \$6.20, \$8.10.

Also ran: King's Lead, 158 lbs. (V. V. Needa); Lancashire Boy, 145 (Ip Kui-ying); Salvage Master, 140 (Hoo Pak-ming).

Betting

Blue Diamond ..... 1,038 875

Taxing Master ..... 1,212 878

Forgotten Star ..... 406 242

King's Lead ..... 502 265

Lancashire Boy ..... 754 392

Salvage Master ..... 66 83

CASH SWEEPS

Race 1

No. 1028 ..... \$1,672.80

" 1752 ..... 478.80

" 9 ..... 239.40

Race 2

No. 1412 ..... \$1,582.00

" 210 ..... 452.00

" 669 ..... 228.00

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 2360, 3010, 509, 1235, 2846, 2831, 3060, 1802 bet \$50 each.

Race 3

No. 3480 ..... \$1,636.80

" 372 ..... 487.60

" 597 ..... 233.80

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 927, 187, 310, 3759, 3395, 3441, 3238, 3662, 2774, 1824, 2832 get \$50 each.

Race 4

No. 299 ..... \$1,719.90

" 3738 ..... 491.40

" 173 ..... 245.70

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 233, 554, 1431, 2825, 1223, 2148, 387, 1452, 2526 get \$50 each.

Race 5

No. 1153 ..... \$1,869.70

" 1256 ..... 534.20

" 2493 ..... 287.10

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 1805, 852, 2555, 396, 975, 808, 1344 get \$50 each.

Race 6

No. 1489 ..... \$1,787.80

" 3737 ..... 519.80

" 2601 ..... 256.40

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 3950, 950, 3600, 440, 3759, 2188, 3519, 288, 1108, 3689, 2994, 3251 get \$50 each.

Race 7

No. 3383 ..... \$1,876.00

" 1905 ..... 403.00\*

" 3539 ..... 403.00\*

\*Dead heat.

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 3103, 2385, 532, 3492, 3939, 1771, 620, 3747, 806, 498, 716 get \$50 each.

Race 8

No. 1945 ..... \$1,797.50

" 3917 ..... 513.60

" 787 ..... 256.80

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 2150, 1121, 1889, 3009, 949, 4030, 2693, 916, 3354, 588, 739, 795, 4197, 4571 get \$50 each.

Race 9

No. 55 ..... \$4,046.00

" 98 ..... 1,156.00

" 3202 ..... 578.00

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 2371, 2431, 860 get \$100 each.

HARBOUR DEPT.  
BEAT P.W.D.Goscombe - O'Sullivan  
Bowls F-1

In the final of the Goscombe - O'Sullivan 'Lawn Bowls' Competition between Harbour Department and P.W.D. "B" at the Police Recreation Club yesterday, the former gained an easy victory by 26 shots to 9.

The play of the winners was very consistent throughout.

The teams were: Harbour Dept.—J. Hoosten, K. C. Hamilton, J. Stephens, and W. Hillyer (skip).

P.W.D. "B"—R. P. Shaw, G. S. Graver, C. B. Robertson and A. Brooksbank (skip).

After the game His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, presented the prizes.

FRIENDLY GAME

On the adjoining green, a Government House team, composed of Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Mr. J. Deakin and His Excellency the Governor (skip) had a close encounter with a Police rink consisting of the

Commissioner of Police, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Perdue, J. S. Riddell, R. McWalter and J. C. Fender (skip).

The Police managed to dispose of their opponents by 21 shots to 19 after a hard struggle.

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# Finance and Commerce

## Sterling Has Steady Day

### FRANC CLIMBS TO NEW LEVEL

NEW YORK, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—While sterling experienced a very steady day around four dollars, interest shifted to the franc which climbed up above the 2.28 level.

There was no further heaviness displayed by the lira, however.

The belga reached a new low since the outbreak of war, while Scandinavians and the guilders were weak.

#### TRADE REGULATIONS

Meanwhile it is reported that dealers in foreign exchange are rapidly becoming accustomed to operation under a mass of regulations governing foreign trade and exchange, particularly those controlled by the London market.

The foreign exchange committee is systematically collecting and distributing to the banks, the official regulations issued by Britain.

## LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Sept. 22 (Reuter).

	buyers	sellers
TIN		
Standard, Cash	227-3/4	228
Standard, 3 months	226-1/4	226-1/2

## SHARE MARKET REVIEW

### HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Hongkong, Sept. 23.

The market has been very quiet and the daily volume of business has continued to dwindle throughout the week. At the close of business to-day trading, except for a few desultory sales, is almost at a standstill. Holders, finding difficulty in disposing of shares, were content to wait for better prices rather than to accept low bids.

H.K. Bank shares were wanted at \$1200 without attracting sellers. Hotels could be obtained at \$4.80 after changing hands at \$4.80. Electrics were obtainable at \$50 and Lands at \$31. There was some enquiry for H.K. Docks and shares changed hands between \$17 and \$18.50. There has also been enquiry for Kowloon Buses with business reported at \$13. Providents had sales at \$4.20 and Ropes at \$4.60.

Gold mining stocks, in spite of announcements of usual dividends, continue to sag through lack of interest. Owing to the enforcement of currency regulations trading in gold mining stocks has practically ceased on the local market. The only sales reported being Antamoks at 15 1/2 cts. Balatons have announced a dividend of 25 cts for the third quarter and Benguet Consolidated 50 cts for the same period.

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

A customary Saturday session has to be again recorded, the market being neglected.

### BUYERS

H.K. Bank, \$1200.  
H.K. Wharves, \$39.

### SALES

H. & S. Hotels, \$4.  
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan, par.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

H.K. Mines, 6 cents,  
PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS.

Atoks	13 1/2
Antamok	15 1/2
Baguio Gold	10
Batong Buhay	0095
Benguet Consolidated	9.10
Bliz Wedge	13
Coco Grove	11
Consol. Mines	0040
Demonstration	08 1/2
I. X. L.	34
Ipo Gold	11
Itogen Mining	18
Manbate Consolidated	06 1/2
Mindanao Motherlode	05 1/2
Consol. Mines	0040
Paracale Gummaus	12
San Mauricio	64
Surigao Consolidated	15
Suyoc Consolidated	10 1/2
United Paracale	23 1/2

## MONEY MARKET: SHORT TERM ACCOMMODATION

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—Supplies of credit remained ample for all borrowers requirements throughout the week with outside quarters charging no more than 2 1/2 cent for short term accommodation.

Yesterday's Treasury tender was notable for the decline in the average rate to round 3-5/16 per cent, which was attributed to the keen desire on the part of the market to acquire a large allotment of valuable December bills.

Wall Street closed irregular.

## ELECTRIC TORCH MANUFACTURE HARD HIT

The local manufacture of electric torches has been seriously affected by the European war, which rendered the purchasing of materials difficult and, as a result, many girl and women workers are being thrown out of employment.

Other reasons for this position are decreased demands and the fact that many factories have not only reduced their staff, but are reducing their hours of working.

## NO MORE UNDER STAIRCASE "SHOPS"

It is learned that a warning has been issued to all shopkeepers who carry on business under staircases on "ground" floors to shift to proper and suitable premises.

This warning was issued last week and action will be taken against those who disregard it.

Following the large influx of refugees into the Colony from Canton, many of these shops started and spread throughout the Colony.

## HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

VOLUME OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED FOR WEEK ENDING SEPT. 22, 1939

Union Ins.	10	\$365.00	
Hotels	1500	4.80 to	\$4.55
Electric	886	51.00 to	50.00
Ropes	2000	4.50 to	4.70
Kowloon Buses	500	13.00 to	13.50
H.K. Docks	1300	17.00 to	18.50
Providents	1500	3.90 to	4.20
Trams	100	15.35	
China Lights (O)	50	8.00	
H.K. Mines	40000	.05 to	.054
Ewos	500	18.30	
Antamoks	3000	Ps 15 1/2	



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## FOREIGN MARKETS &amp; QUOTATIONS

## BANKS

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTERS SERVICE)

London September 22.  
The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

War Loan, 3½% (Red after 1952)	88½
Canton-Kloon Rly. 5%	—
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan, 1898 (Brit. Issue)	—
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	38
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	40
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	21
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	32
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	81
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	45
Honan Rly. 5%	12
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	—
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	—
Lung Tsing & U. Hal Rly. 5% 1913	11
Shal-Nking Rly. 5%	12
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	11
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	28½
Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	36½
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	3
Chartered Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	84
H.K. & Shai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	72
H.K. & Shai Bank (Col. Reg.)	72
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	—
Chosen Corporation	—
Pekin Syndicate	—
Shai Elec. Constr. Co.	10
Shai Waterworks "A"	19
Union Insurance	—
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	17
Allied Ironfounders	15/9
Asso. & Elec. Industries	33/9
Austin Motors, ord.	17/6
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	44½
B.-A. Tob. (bearer)	82/6
Mercantile Bank	10-7/8
Cammell Laird, ord.	6/7½
Mexican Eagle	5
Courtaulds	26
Distillers	85/6
Dunlop Rubber	23/9
Gen. Electric (England)	63/9
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	80
Hawker Siddeley Air.	11/10½
Bristol Aeroplane	14/9
Imperial Chemical Ind.	26/10½
Imperial Tobacco	106/9
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	45-1/2
Rolls Royce	82/6
Leyland Motors	77/6
Tate & Lyle	53/9
Turner & Newall	70
United Steel	21/3
Smithwick Drop Forg.	14/6
Armstrong Stevens, ord.	5/3
Pressed Steel, com.	12/6
Vickers, ord.	14/10½
Woolworths	52/6
Anglo-Dutch	25/8
Rub. Plant. Invest. Trust	25/10½
Burma Corporation	9
Commonwealth Mining	—
Marsman Investments	10/-
Randfontein Estates	33/9
Western Holdings	8
Sub-Nigel	180
Tanang Gold Mining	41½
Anglo-Iranian	65/7½
Burmah	68/1½
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	90
— Nominal	—

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 23	STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 23
Adams Express	101	Johns Manville	79½
Allegheny Steel Co.	25½	J. & Laughlin Steel \$7 pfd.	75
Allied Stores	91	Kennecott Copper	42½
Allis Chalmers	45½	Lakey Foundry & Mac.	3½
Aluminum Ltd.	80	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	47½
Amerada Corp.	—	Lockheed Aircraft	29
Amer. Can.	112	Loew's Inc.	33
American Cyanamid B	34½	Manhattan Shirt Co.	—
Amer. & Foreign Power	20	Martin, Glen L.	37
Amer. & Foreign \$7 pfd.	28	McKesson, Robbins	18½
American Gas & Elec.	35½	Montgomery Ward	54
Amer. Locomotive	27½	Nat. Dairy Products	15½
Amer. Metals Co.	27	Nat. Distillers	23
Amer. Radiator	10	National Gypsum	9½
Amer. Rolling Mill	21½	National Lead	23½
Amer. Sling and Ring Co.	57½	Nat. Power & Light	8½
Amer. Sugar Ring	28½	National Steel Corp.	73½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	160½	Nat. Supply Corp.	12½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	77½	New York Central	20½
Amer. Waterworks	13½	Niagara Hudson Power	7½
Anacostia Copper	34	N. American Aviation	20½
Archison, T. & S. Fe.	31½	Northern Pacific	11½
Auburn Motors	3½	Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	61½
Baltimore & Ohio	7½	Pacific Gas & Elec.	30½
Barber Asphalt Co.	14½	Pacific Lighting	45½
Barnsdall Oil	18½	Packard Motors	3½
Bendix Aviation	29½	Parmount Pictures	7
Bethlehem Steel	92½	Pennsylvania R.R.	25
Bills & Co.	18½	Phelps-Dodge	45½
Boeing Airplane Co.	27½	Phillips Petroleum	45½
Borg-Warner	26	Pittsburgh Coke & Iron	12½
Biggs Manufacturing	23½	Public Service of N.J.	38½
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	12½	Pullman Inc.	39½
B'klyn-M'hattan \$6 cum pf.	4½	Pure Oil	10½
Canadian Pacific Rwy.	43	Radio Corp. of Am.	53
Case, J.I.	89½	Reading Company, 1st pfd.	25½
Celanese	28½	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	61½
Chesapeake & Ohio	43	Republic Steel	28
Chrysler Corp.	87½	Reynold Tobac "B"	36
Colts Patent Fire-Arms	92½	Richfield Oil	8½
Columbia Gas & El.	7½	Safeway Stores	42
Columbia 6% "A" pt.	82½	Schenley Distillers	13½
Commercial	—	Schenley, 5½ pfd.	87
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	1½	Sears Roebuck	78½
Cwealth & S. 6% cum pf.	84½	Seversky Aircraft	54
Consolidated Edison	29½	Shell Union Oil	15½
Consolidated Oil	9	Socony-Vacuum Oil	14
Continental Can	50½	Southern Pacific	16½
Continental Oil	30½	Southern Rly \$5 pfd.	28
Corn Products	60½	Sperry	48½
Curtiss Wright (C.)	73	Spieler Manufacturing Co.	28½
Curtiss Wright "A"	27½	Standard Brands	64
Deere & Co.	23½	Stand Gas & Elec.	3
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	14½	Standard Oil of California	31½
Douglas Aircraft	76½	Standard Oil of N.J.	51
Du Pont de Nemours	182½	Stone & Webster	12½
Eagle Picher Lead	131	Swift International	31½
Elton Mfg. Co.	26½	Technicolor	12
Elec. Autolite	37½	Texas Corp.	48
Elec. Bond & Share	9½	Texas Gulf Sulphur	37½
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.	—	Trans-America Co.	7
Elec. Bond & Share \$6 pf.	65½	20th Cent. Fox	12½
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf.	33½	20th Cent. Fox \$1½ pf.	22
Flintkote	17½	Union Carbide & Carbon	92
Food Machinery Corp.	36½	Union Pacific	102
Gen. American Trans.	63½	United Aircraft	44½
Gen. Electric	41½	United Airlines Trans.	107
Gen. Motors	54	United Corp.	3
Gen. Railway Signal	25	United Corp. \$3 cum pf.	35½
General Tire & Rubber Co.	17½	United Gas Corp.	—
Glidden Co.	17½	United Gas Improvement	13½
Goodrich (B.F.)	22½	U.S. Industrial Alcohol	43
Goodrich \$5 pf.	—	U.S. Rubber	104½
Goodyear Tire & Co.	28½	U.S. Rubber \$8 pfd.	104½
Great Northern Iron Ore	204	U.S. Steel	78
Great Northern Rly. pfd.	30	Vanadium	37½
Great Western Sugar	33½	Warner Bros. Pict.	4
Greyhound Corp.	18½	Westinghouse Elec.	115½
Hecker Products	—	Woodward Iron Cor.	28½
Hercules Powder Co.	91½	Chase National Bank	37½
Homestake Mining	53½	National City Bank	30½
Industrial Rayon	27		
International Harvester	70		
Int. Nickel	39		
Int. Tel. & Tel.	54½		

\*—bid. —ex div.

## DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	Change
High	155.82	156.14	0.32
Low	151.44	152.14	0.70
Dow Jones Average	152.57	153.03	0.46
Industrial	33.08	33.51	0.43
Rail	34.70	34.79	0.09
Utilities	24.79	24.84	0.05
Bonds	88.25	88.42	0.17
Commodity Index	60.53	60.59	0.06

Business Done—160,000 shares

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	Sept. 22	Sept. 23	change
SINGAPORE RUBBER	buyers sellers	buyers sellers	
S P O T	35-1/4	35	Off 1/4
OCT./DEC.	34-1/2	34-1/4	Off 1/4
JAN./MARCH	33-1/4	32-3/4	Off 1/2

The market was quiet with an easier tone.

	Previous close	To-day's close	change
LONDON RUBBER	buyers sellers	buyers sellers	
S P O T	9-5/8	9-3/4	Closed
OCT./DEC.	9-3/4	9-7/8	Closed
JAN./MARCH	10	10-1/8	Closed

Market closed.

**COTTON:** To-day's was a session of quiet trading and, though some support was noticed from the Trade, prices eased slightly. Uncertainties with regard to Washington and European developments are keeping many traders on the side-lines.

**RUBBER:** In a featureless market, prices moved downwards on lack of support and on free offerings from the primary markets.

**WHEAT:** The easiness of the Winnipeg market and a poor demand for export, together with reports of peace moves in Europe caused an easier feeling here and the market was dull and lethargic in the absence of any stimulating influences.

**NEW YORK STOCKS:** Previous close, 152.57; To-day's close, 152.99; Change, Up 42.

## NEW YORK COMMODITY MARKET

(By Courtesy of Messrs. Swan, Culbertson &amp; Fritz and S. E. Levy &amp; Company)

	High	Low	Prev. Close	To-day's Close	Change
New York Cotton, Oct.	9.05	9.00	9.03	9.01	.02 off
New York Rubber, Dec.	20.38	20.20	20.31	20.20	.11 off
Chicago Wheat, Dec.	86½	85½	86½	86½	½ off
Chicago Corn, Dec.	55	54½	55½	54½	½ off
Winnipeg Wheat, Oct.	74½	72½	74½	72½	1½ off
New York Hides, Dec.	15.90	15.70	15.81	15.90	.29 up

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
October	9.03/03	9.03/04	9.01/01	.02 off
December	8.87/87	8.78/77	8.73/75	.12 off
January	8.89 N	8.89b/70a	8.88 N	.03 off
March	8.58/58	8.08/59	8.58/57	.01 off
May	8.37/39	8.39/37	8.34/34	.05 off
July	8.21/22	8.21/20	8.15/15	.07 off
Spot	9.13 N	9.08 N	9.08 N	.05 off

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
September	21.30b/80a	21.50 N	21.50 N	.10 off
December	20.30/31	20.07b/25a	20.20/20	.11 off
March	19.43/43	19.25b/40a	19.18b/30a	.13 off
May	19.25 N	19.32/32	19.02/02	.23 off

Total sales for the day: 410 tons.

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
September	86½/86½	86½/86	86½/86½	½ off
December	86½/86½	86½/86½	86½/86½	½ off
May	87½/87½	87½/87½	87½/87½	½ off
July	87½/87½	87½/87½	86½/86½	½ off

Friday's sales:—17,087,000 bushels.

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
September	55½/55½	54½/54½	54½/54½	½ off
December	55½/55½	54½/54½	54½/54½	½ off
May	55½/55½	54½/54½	54½/54½	½ off
July	55½/55½	54½/54½	54½/54½	½ off

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
October	74½/74½	74½/74	72½b	1½ off
December	70/70½	70/70½	74½/74½	1½ off
May	80½b	79/79½	79/79½	1½ off

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
December	11.00b/06a	10.95b/11.08a	11.02b/05a	.01 off
July	11.15b/20a	11.11/11	11.14b/20a	unch.
NY Silver, Official	39-1/4	39-1/4	unquoted	—
NY-London Cross Rate	3.99-7/8	3.99-5/8	3.99-5/8	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
December	15.61/61	15.70/70	15.84/90	.29 up
March	15.99/16.00	16.05/15	16.24/30	.30 up
June	16.35 N	16.49/50	16.61/67	.32 up

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
December	48.52b/49.00a	47.50b/50.00a	48.52bN	.47½ off

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
December	48.52b/49.00a	47.50b/50.00a	48.52bN	.47½ off

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
Spot	\$7-1/16	\$7-3/32	\$7-3/32	—
Sept.	7-1/16	7-3/32	7-3/32	—
Oct.	6-29/32	6-15/16	6-15/16	—

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From 25 Sept. to 1 Oct. 1939

Days of Week	Date of Month	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Mon.	25	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		07 05	6 4	00 44	4 3
Tues.	26	07 38	5 5	13 38	3 9
		07 55	5 5	01 30	3 9
Wed.	27	08 28	5 5	14 09	3 8
		08 28	5 5	02 10	3 4
Thurs.	28	09 03	5 5	14 40	3 3
		09 03	5 5	02 50	3 1
Fri.	29	09 40	5 5	15 10	3 4
		09 40	5 5	03 38	2 7
Sat.	30	10 15	5 5	15 40	3 5
		10 15	5 5	04 08	2 6
Sun.	1	10 49	5 0	16 10	2 8
		10 49	5 0	04 44	2 3
		23 32	7 1	16 35	3 1

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R. OHL,  
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Hong Kong, 25th Sept., 1939. [727]

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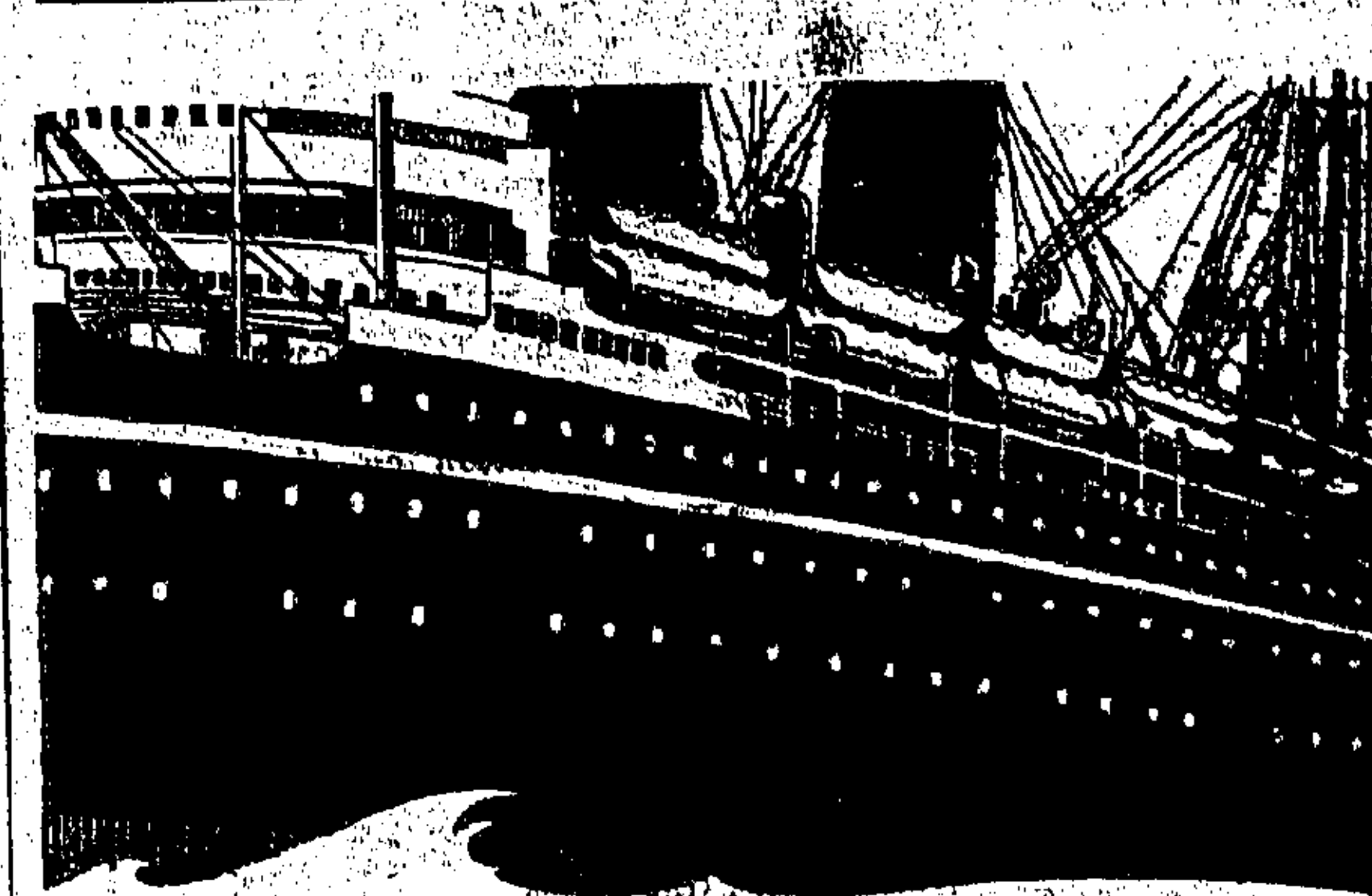
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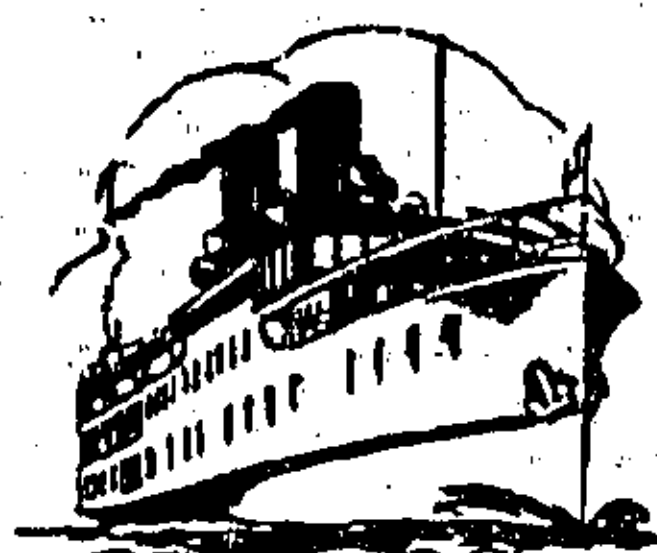
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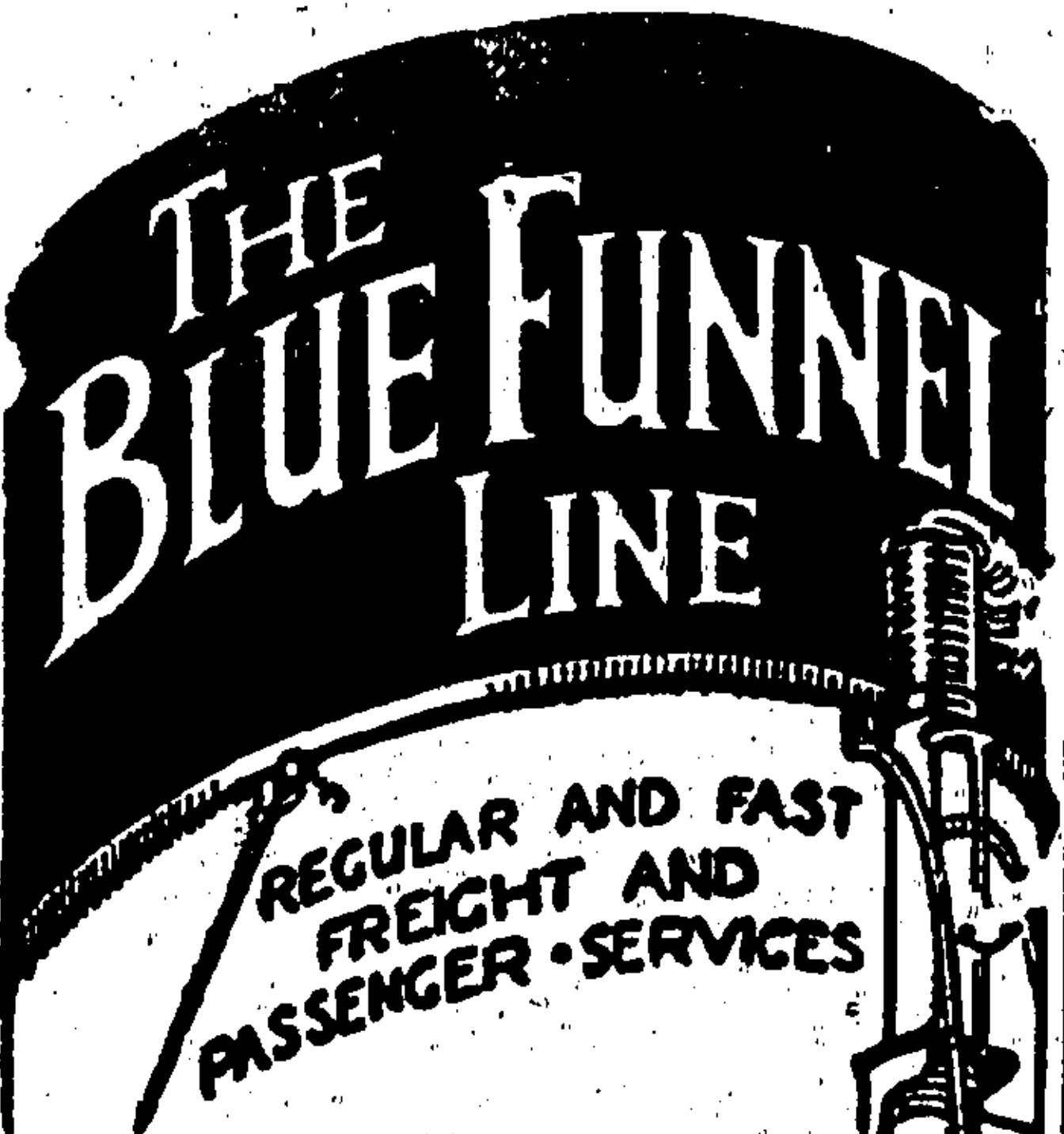
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1st Race. The Colowan Handicap. Five Furlongs  
Country Flower (135), Coureur Bleu (143), Gold Clause (140), Hohenfels (135), Morning Tip (135), Shanghai 4 (152), Victory Life (163).

2nd Race. The Praia Grande Handicap. Five Furlongs  
Cloudy Star (166), Double Up (148), Eagle (150), Iron Knight (161), National Triumph (159).

3rd Race. Lappa Handicap. (First Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Cloudy Star (140), Eagle (140), Iron Knight (140), King's Parade (138), Lucky Eleven (165), Mac's Adventure (162), National Dignity (161), National Triumph (140), Persian Cat (159).

4th Race. The Porto Cerco Handicap. "D" Class. Six Furlongs  
Clowner (155), Diogenes (140), Double Chance (159), Gold Sovereign (144), King's Envoy (148), National Anthem (140), Sports Venture (142), The Tigress (158).

5th Race. The Stewards' Cup. One Mile  
Country Flower (135), Coureur Bleu (135), Gold Clause (135), Hohenfels (135), Hohenfels (135), Merry Maker (135), Morning Tip (135), Rothesay Bay (135), Shanghai 4 (140), Victory Life (151).

6th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Second Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

7th Race. The Consolation Stakes. Post Entries. Half a Mile.  
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8th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Third Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

9th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Fourth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

10th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Fifth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

11th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Sixth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

12th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Seventh Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

13th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Eighth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

14th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Ninth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

15th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Tenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

16th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Eleventh Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

17th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twelfth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

18th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Thirteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

19th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Fourteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

20th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Fifteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

21st Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Sixteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

22nd Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Seventeenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

23rd Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Eighteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

24th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Nineteenth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

25th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twentieth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

26th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-first Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

27th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-second Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

28th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-third Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

29th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-fourth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

30th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-fifth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

31st Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-sixth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

32nd Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-seventh Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

33rd Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-eighth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

34th Race. The Lappa Handicap. (Twenty-ninth Section) "E" Class. Six Furlongs  
Bogey (155), Double Up (140), Dow Jones (140), Gold Tower (140), Old Fashioned (155), The Buccaneer (155), The Spirit of St. Louis (140).

North Point  
Swimming  
GalaCHINESE BATHING  
CLUB MEET

The Chinese Bathing Club commenced their annual swimming gala on Saturday at their pavilion at North Point.

The following were the results:  
Men's 50 Metres free-style:—1, Chan Wing-ka; 2, Robert Chan; 3, Chan Chung-hang. Time 29.4 secs.

Ladies' 50 Metres free-style:—1, Miss Sai Wai-ying; 2, Miss Cheung Pui-chun; 3, Miss Chiu Shu-nor. Time: 40 secs.

Men's 200 Metres breast-stroke:—1, Fong Chung-yiu; 2, Chan Man-bor; 3, Sum Yuet-sang. Time: 3 mins. 8.8 secs.

Ladies' 100 Metres back-stroke:—1, Miss Sai Wai-ying; 2, Miss Cheung Pui-chun. Time: 1 min. 41 secs.

Men's 400 Metres free-style:—1, Robert Chan; 2, Chan Yuet-fat. Time: 6 mins. 14.4 secs.

Ladies' 400 Metres free-style:—1, Miss Cheung Pui-chun; 2, Miss Chan Sze-tai; 3, Miss Chiu Shu-nor. Time: 8 mins. 4 secs.

Diving:—1, Lam Ka-tung; 2, Wong King-hang; 3, Ko Ka-kui.

SOUTH CHINA  
SWIMMING  
SPORTS

South China Athletic Association concluded their annual swimming gala at North Point on Saturday.

Miss Yeung Sau-chun, sister of Miss Yeung Sau-king, again won the 100 and 50 metres free-style.

Mr. Chau Man-chi distributed the prizes at the conclusion of the gala.

The following are the results:  
Ladies' 50 Metres free-style:—1, Miss Yeung Sau-chun; 2, Miss Li Cheuk-wah; 3, Miss Tsang Fung-kwon. Time: 28.51 secs.

Girls' 100 Metres breast-stroke:—1, Miss Au Mei-chun; 2, Miss Ho Wai-mui; 3, Miss Yeung Lau-ying. Time: 1 min. 55.1/5 secs.

Boys' 50 Metres free-style:—1, Lai Sum-min; 2, Ko Wai-hung; 3, Tang Chau-sang. Time: 53.3/5 secs.

Men's 200 Metres back-stroke:—1, Lui Shek-kwan; 2, Tsang Cheong-ming; 3, Ip Po-chuen. Time: 1 min. 32 secs.

Ladies' 200 Metres breast stroke:—1, Miss Lee Po-lin; 2, Miss Ko Mui-lin; 3, Miss Au Mei-chun. Time: 3 min. 40.1/5 secs.

Staff 100 Metres free-style:—1, Man On; 2, Lau Sin; 3, Ng Kau. Time: 1 min. 22.4/5 secs.

Men's 50 Metres free style:—1, Wong Chi-hung; 2, Chan Cheung-tin; 3, Li Fook-kei. Time: 29.4.5 secs.

Men's 100 Metres free-style:—1, Ho Pun-kwan; 2, Tsang Young; 3, Au Leung-wah. Time: 1 min. 26 secs.

Ladies' 100 Metres free-style:—1, Miss Yeung Sau-chun; 2, Miss Li Cheuk-wah; 3, Miss Tsang Fung-kwan. Time: 22.1/5 secs.

Men's 440 Metres free-style:—1, Shek Kam-pui; 2, Tsang Cheong-ming; 3, Yeung Cheong-wah. Time: 6 min. 34.2/5 secs.

Staff 100 Metres free-style:—1, Li Kai-yang; 2, Ho Puk-kwan; 3, Lai Hop-chun. Time: 27.1/5 secs.

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UNIVERSITY  
SWIMMING  
CLUB MEET

The 7th annual Inter-Hostel aquatic sports of the Hongkong University Swimming Club will take place on Saturday, September 30, at 2 p.m., at the European Y.M.C.A., Kowloon.

The heats will be held on Wednesday.

The Acting Vice-Chancellor, Professor K. H. Digby has kindly agreed to be Patron and Mrs. S. W. Tso has graciously consented to present the prizes.

The events this year will include, as usual, diving, an invitation relay and a Past Students' handicap while an innovation, in the shape of a lady undergraduates' free style relay is being introduced.

The Inter-Hostel aquatic sports were instituted in 1933, four years after the founding of the Swimming Club. From 1933 to 1938 Ricci Hall won, but in the last years Morrison Hall has gained the supremacy.

All members and friends of the University are cordially invited to attend.

STRICT  
CONTROL OF  
CROWDSSOCCER FRIENDLIES  
AND F. A. LEAGUE

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuter).—Football crowds are being strictly controlled and averaged 4,000 at Saturday's friendly matches.

All is now set for the resumption of competitive matches on a regional basis. London clubs have agreed to form a League and the other regions are likely to follow.

## SATURDAY'S GAMES

The following friendly matches were played on Saturday:

Accrington 5, Rochdale 4. Aldershot 2, Chelsea 3. Barnsley 1, Sheffield W. 2. Barrow 6, Workington 3. Blackpool 1, Blackburn 1. Bournemouth 1, Westham U. 2. Bradford C. 1, Burnley 4. Brentford 3, Arsenal 0.

Brighton 5, Millwall Res. 1. Bristol R. 1, Torquay 1. Bury 3, Everton 2. Cardiff 1, Swansea 1. Carlisle 1, Preston Res. 1. Chelmsford 4, Tottenham 2. Crewe 5, New Brighton 2.

Doncaster 4, Notts County 2. Guildford C. 5, Crystal P. 0. Halifax 3, Bradford 3. Huddersfield 1, Sheffield U. 2. Leicester 6, Birmingham 4. Liverpool 3, Bolton 0.

Luton 3, Charlton 0. Manchester U. 3, Oldham 1. Millwall 1, Charlton 1. Newcastle 2, Leeds 2.

Plymouth 7, Bristol C. 1. Portsmouth 2, Southampton 3. Preston 3, Manchester C. 0. Reading 5, Newport 0.

Rotherham 1, Chesterfield 3. Shrewsbury 0, Coventry 6. Southend 4, Fulham 3. Southampton 0, Stockport 0.

Stoke 3, Port Vale 2. Swindon 1, Queen's Pk. R. 0. W. Bromwich 3, Whamptton 5.

Wrexham 0, Chester 2.

## SCOTTISH GAMES

Aberdeen 4, Arbroath 0. St. Johnston 3, Scottish Jnr. T. 3. St. Mirren 1, Morton 1.

Celtic 4, Partick 2. Queen's Pk. 3, Third Lanark 4. Rangers 1, Falkirk 4. Hearts 2, Hibernian 4.

SCHOOL CRICKET  
COMMENCESD.B.S. Lose To Old  
Boys By 77 Runs

The Diocesan Boys' School commenced their cricket season on Saturday with a match against B. D. Lay's XI.

The visitors, who are all Old Boys of the school, won by 77 runs, declaring at 187 for 7 wickets, against 90 runs.

## THE SCORES

B. D. LAY'S XI  
A. Zimmer, c Fisher, b Burch. 7  
F. J. Lay, c and b Burch. 34  
W. L. Rapley, c Burch, b White 17  
A. J. Hulce, c Matthews, b Ma-  
cauley. 16  
D. Cray, retired. 55  
R. T. Broadbridge, c Macauley,  
b Youngsaye. 11  
C. N. Matthews, b Youngsaye. 4  
B. D. Lay, not out. 8  
D. A. Hutchinson, not out. 7  
Extras. 8

Total (for 7 wks, dec.) ... 187  
J. C. Fenton, E. D. Fisher and O. V. Cheung did not bat.

## DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL

A. J. Prata, c Broadbridge b Hulce. 1  
J. A. Fisher, c F. J. Lay, b Hulce 27  
J. L. Youngsaye, b Hulce. 27  
G. A. Goodban, b Cray. 27  
J. Macauley, b Broadbridge. 11  
E. N. Matthews, c Fisher, b Hulce. 0  
L. R. Burch, c Rapley, b Cray. 0  
V. Harris, b Broadbridge. 0  
J. Read, b Cray. 0  
A. White, b Cheung. 6  
A. Ebrahim, not out. 6  
K. Farmer, c B. D. Lay, b Zimmerman. 8  
Extras. 3

Total. 90

ARMY INTER-UNIT  
SWIMMING SPORTS

The postponed Army Inter-unit swimming sports, which were to take place on September 14 and 15, will now be held on Wednesday and Thursday, October 4 and 5, at the Victoria Recreation Club, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

## FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

## INWARD MAILS

From	Due
Straits and Manila	25th Sept.
Japan	25th Sept.
Calcutta and Straits	25th Sept.
Haiphong	25th Sept.
Japan	25th Sept.
Haiphong	25th Sept.
Shanghai	25th Sept.
Amoy	25th Sept.
Shanghai	25th Sept.
Shanghai	25th Sept.
Japan	25th Sept.
Calcutta and Straits	25th Sept.
Manila	25th Sept.
Japan	25th Sept.
Manila	25th Sept.
Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"—Paris date, 20th Sept.	27th Sept.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 21st September.	27th Sept.
Straits	27th Sept.
Manila	27th Sept.
Shanghai	27th Sept.
Haiphong	27th Sept.
Straits	27th Sept.
Java and Manila	27th Sept.
Bangkok, Saigon and Tourane	27th Sept.
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 2nd Sept.)	28th Sept.
Straits	28th Sept.
Shanghai	28th Sept.
Japan	28th Sept.
Haiphong	28th Sept.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 8th September)	30th Sept.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date 24th Sept.	1st Oct.
Shanghai and Amoy	1st Oct.
Shanghai	1st Oct.
Straits	2nd Oct.
Calcutta and Straits	2nd Oct.
Japan and Shanghai	3rd Oct.
Australia and Manila	3rd Oct.
Straits	3rd Oct.
Australia and Manila	3rd Oct.
Sandakan	4th Oct.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 8th September)	4th Oct.
Straits	4th Oct.
Japan	4th Oct.
Shanghai	4th Oct.
Canada, U.S.A. Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 17th September)	5th Oct.
Straits	5th Oct.

## OUTWARD MAILS

Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 8 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m.

For	Date and Time
MONDAY	
Swatow and Shanghai	Mon. 25th. 10.30 AM
Port Bayard	1.00 PM
Saloon	2.30 PM
TUESDAY	
Canton	Tue. 26th. 7.15 AM
Port Bayard and Haiphong	10.00 AM
Japan	2.30 PM
Manila, Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Naples—due Naples 19th October	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island 8th October.	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Air Mail, for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 4th October.	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 2nd October.	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
WEDNESDAY	
Fort Bayard, Hothow and Pakhoi	Wed. 27th. 9.30 AM
Amoy and Shanghai	2.30 PM
Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France Airways Direct Service"—due Paris, 6th Oct	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
THURSDAY	
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U. S. A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco 4th October.	Thurs. 28th. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Haiphong	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Sandakan	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
FRIDAY	
Tourane	Fri. 29th. 6.3